WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is falling on the Coast, and unsettled, mild weather will become general. Mild weather also extends eastward to Manitoba.

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AGREEMENT IS REACHED WITH JAPAN

Japanese Delegates Announce Assent to Treaty Is Given With Certain Reservations

FIVE-POWER PACT IS NOW OBJECTIVE

Statements Are Current That Much Progress Is Made With Agreement With France

LONDON, April 2.—Taking one great step forward today toward a three-power disarmament agreement among Great Britain, United States and Japan, delegates to the London Naval Conference hesitated to take another toward a five-power until sure of their ground.

Consequently they announced that the important plenary session set for Friday would be postponed until next week.

JAPANESE AGREE

Reijiro Wakatsuki met Prime Minister MacDonald and United States Secretary Stimson, at St. James Palace this afternoon. There, he formally gave the long-awaited answer to the British-American ratio proposals, accepting them with reservations. The reservations, it is stated, create no obstacle to a three-power agreement.

The same three will meet again tomorrow to discuss the Japanese reservations further.

It was understood that the agreement to which the Japanese have provisionally assented, embraces in general the tonnages arrived at in the long series of conversations between Senator Reed for America and Ambassador Matsudaira for Japan. These figures were concurred in by Right Hon. A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the British Admiralty.

Japan had asked a straight 70 per cent ratio of the American fleet with emphasis upon the big cruiser class. However, in this class, the agreement provides, Japan will have only 60.2 per cent or 108,400 tons compared with 180,000 for the United States, and 146,800 for Great Britain. The chief Japanese reservation is on this point, as the Far Eastern

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Memberships of Unions Reduced But Funds Grow

(Canadian Press Cable)

LONDON, April 2.—The total membership of the Miners' Trade Union has been reduced to 556,000 by a net reduction of 60,000 during the year, it is announced today. The total membership of all registered unions in England is 3,000,764, a decrease of 118,000. The total funds, however, increased by nearly $5,000,000 to a total of $52,000,000.

FALLS INTO SAW

TACOMA, Wash., April 2.—Slipping and falling headlong into a big saw in the mills of the Pacific National Lumber Company at National, near here, Emil Sikstrom, thirty-five, an employee of the company, was sawed in half yesterday afternoon. A widow and small child survive.

From the Colonist Tower

Thursday, April 3

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong southerly winds; unsettled and mild, with rain.

Sun Rises: 5:49 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 6:44 o'clock.

High Tide: 3:49 a.m., 8.6 feet.
Low Tide: 12:20 p.m., 2.1 feet.

The News

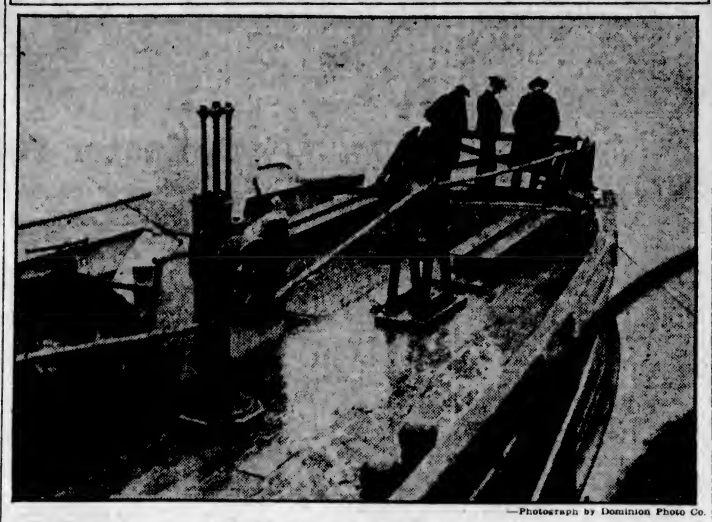
Local and Provincial—
Serious fire destroys buildings at Shawnigan.
Governor-General arrives here this morning.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Mr. William T. Cosgrave again becomes President of Irish Free State by vote of Dail.
Japanese announce agreement to proposed three-power pact but with certain reservations.
Appeals by Solloway, Mills & Co. as to legality of search warrants heard and judgment reserved.
Close on one hundred lives are lost when Japanese ferryboat capsizes in violent storm.

Sports

Canadiens and Bruins will meet in second play-off game for Stanley Cup at Montreal tonight.
Peden Brothers spring surprise by eliminating Capitals from Y.M.C.A. knockout series. J.B.A.A. defeats Axioms.
Lions and Bucks to hook up in fourth P.C.H.L. play-off at Portland tonight.

Last Link in New Telephone Cable



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RUNNING out the cable between Mayne Island and Point Roberts on Friday from the deck of the B.C. Telephone Company's cableship Brico, in the final submarine section of the new connection between Victoria and Vancouver. The route will be in service within a few weeks. It is nearly seventy-four miles long, being much shorter than existing routes by way of Galiano and Salt Spring Islands and by way of Nanaimo.

Senator Says U.S. Looks After Own Interests and Wants Canada to Do Same

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, April 2.—A declaration by Senator Charles E. Tanner, of Halifax, that in his opinion the Government bill to prohibit liquor clearances to shipments destined for the United States appeared to have been dictated from Washington, featured discussion of this measure in the Senate today. The entire time of the Senate during the brief sitting which ended at 6 o'clock, was devoted to discussion of the bill.

LEADER'S AMENDMENT

Senator Tanner occupied the major part of the time in a lengthy speech supporting the Conservative amendment to the motion for second reading. This amendment, which was moved by Senator W. B. Willoughby, Conservative leader in the Senate, asks that the bill be not read a second time at present, "but that it be referred to a special committee, to be selected by the Senate, for the purpose of first obtaining information as to the effect the passing of the bill would have on the economic and international conditions and relations of Canada."

Senator Tanner asserted that the bill would commit Canada to a policy of the prevention of liquor export to the United States. The more we give these people, the more they want," said Senator Tanner, with reference to the United States. As far as the Government of the United States was concerned he considered it both "relentless and

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MR. LAING WINNER OF HIGH HONOR

Student Fellowship Awarded to Him by Carnegie Endowment for International Peace

HAS REMARKABLE SCHOLASTIC CAREER

MR. LIONEL H. LAING

Another Victorian has been signally honored in the person of Mr. Lionel H. Laing, B.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Laing, 1122 Ormond Street, who has been awarded by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, Washington, D.C., a student fellowship of $1,000 to prepare for teaching international law.

Mr. Laing is the second Canadian to have received such an honor from the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. It is his intention of ultimately teaching in a Canadian University, although he has decided to study at Harvard, which specializes in international law.

These fellowships have been established by the trustees of the endowment for the purpose of providing an adequate number of teachers competent to give instruction in international law, and related subjects as an aid to the colleges and universities in extending and improving the study and teaching of those subjects, which are daily becoming increasingly of more interest and importance in the conduct of international law.

MODEL ASSEMBLY

Mr. Laing, who is now a graduate student in the Department of History and International Relations at Clark University, Worcester, Massachusetts, has also been accorded the distinction of heading the Clark men at the second annual meeting of the New England Colleges' League of Nations Model Assembly, which will be held at New Haven on April

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Development of New Grain Like Barley Is Made

READLYN, Iowa, April 2.—Mr. William Schumacher has announced the development of a grain that in the field resembles barley with the color of rye, the flavor of oats and a kernel shaped like wheat.

Mr. Schumacher calls in barley, but says it has no barley in its composition. He developed the grain, he said, by conducting a hand-pollinated cross between Bluestem wheat and Giant oats, and then by crossing the hybrid thus obtained with Bluestem wheat.

This resulted, Schumacher said, in a grain with a large meat and a thin hull, maturing in ninety days. He is experimenting on its value as an early hog feed.

THINKS IT WRONG TO CHANGE FLAG

OTTAWA, Ont., April 2.—For Canada to adopt another flag beside the Union Jack might indicate or suggest some dissatisfaction with the present position of this country within the Empire, Mr. R. K. Smith, Member of Parliament for Cumberland County, N.S., told members of an Ottawa service club he addressed today.

MINISTER IS UNDER FIRE IN COMMONS

Dr. Manion Says Government Had to Be "Kicked" Into Debate Upon Workless Situation

AMENDMENT MEANS NON-CONFIDENCE

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, April 2.—Unemployment conditions in Canada were again under discussion in the House of Commons this afternoon. It was the second day of debate on a non-confidence amendment by Mr. A. A. Heaps (Labor, Winnipeg North) for immediate relief for the unemployed.

Hon. Peter Heenan, Minister of Labor, continued his speech, started yesterday, outlining the activities of the Government with a view of providing more work. The minister stated that around 40,000 people were now receiving aid under the old age pensions scheme.

Attacking remarks of Mr. Heenan made yesterday, Hon. R. J. Manion

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Calcutta Is Quiet After Day of Riot

(Associated Press)

CALCUTTA, India, April 2.—Calcutta was quiet today after yesterday's rioting. Police and picket patrols were withdrawn, and the buffalo carts off the streets for a while, played about as usual.

The number of dead was stated definitely to be six. At a conference today between representatives of the Carters' Union and the police commissioner, Sir Charles Tegart, the delegates were warned that repetition of the destructionist tactics would have serious consequences. He promised to place the men's grievances before the Government.

Yesterday's trouble grew out of a passive resistance campaign by the carters against the Government order forbidding use of the buffalo during the hottest part of the day.

National Sovereignty to Be Result of Conference Not Policy of Isolation

By EDWARD PRICE BELL

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LONDON, Eng., April 2.—Men's plans sometimes issue in things greater than they ever foresaw. Such an outcome will form part, and I think the principal part, of the history of the Five-Power Naval Conference of 1930. At this conference, in the midst of almost limitless confusion, has been fought to a finish the long-drawn battle of entanglement and compulsion versus non-entanglement and noncompulsion as the political rule of the major powers, and nonentanglement and noncompulsion have won.

NOT FOR ISOLATION

This victory, as one can see at once, is victory for American political theory and practice as old as the Washington Government. A victory for isolationism? No; a victory for the liberty of sovereign nations in the hour of fate to choose which way they will go—whether they will or will not throw their sons into war and their whole society into grief and misfortune. War, indeed, may engulf them despite all their efforts, but they at least retain their liberty to escape its ghastlier results, if they can.

What power has struggled for the principle of entanglements and compulsion at this conference? France. I utter no accusing word against France. She has suffered beyond telling for the freedom we all now enjoy. Her losses, her pains, her glory—I leave them to the enchanting tongue of her Foreign Minister, Aristide Briand. Of such a nation it is the natural, it is the inevitable

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VICEREGAL PARTY WILL ARRIVE TODAY

Summary of Programme for Governor-General and Lady Willingdon in Victoria

TO REMAIN FOR SIX-DAY PERIOD

Their Excellencies Will Be Received by Administrator and Prominent Citizens

WHEN the Governor-General of Canada and Lady Willingdon arrive in Victoria this morning, on a six days' visit to Vancouver Island, they will be welcomed by His Honor Chief Justice J. A. Macdonald, Administrator of the Province; the Hon. R. H. Pooley, Acting Premier; Brigadier-General J. Sutherland Brown, D.O.C.; Lieutenant-Commander L. W. Murray, R.C.N., senior naval officer; Mayor Herbert Anscomb, and the following who will attend His Excellency: Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn, Major Selden Humphreys, and Captain H. Molson, A.D.C. to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

Their Excellencies' suite includes Mr. Eric Mieville, secretary to Viscount Willingdon; Captain R. J. Streatfeild, A.D.C., and Captain V. R. Blundell, 1st Battalion Scots Guards, recently stationed at Windsor, England, who is replacing Captain R. H. Gaynor, M.B.E., Royal Corps of Signals.

The reception at the landing docks will be only semi-official, and afterwards Lord and Lady Willingdon will proceed to the Empress Hotel to inspect the new wing, later proceeding to the B.C. Worsted Mill. At 1 o'clock the Governor-General will address the Canadian Club luncheon at 12:15 at the Empress Hotel. Lady Willingdon will lunch privately. A round of golf at the Victoria Golf Club links, Oak Bay, will occupy the afternoon, and in the evening the visitors will dine with His Honor the Administrator and Mrs. Macdonald.

Friday's programme will include a round of golf at Colwood in the

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SERIOUS FIRE BURNS STORES AT SHAWNIGAN

Athletic Hall, Store, Postoffice and Barn Are Destroyed in Outbreak at Lake Resort

FLAMES FANNED BY HIGH WIND

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, April 2.—An outbreak of fire here this afternoon, fanned by a high wind, did serious damage to this resort.

The Shawnigan Lake Athletic Association Hall, Mr. McLaren's store across the road, the postoffice in the McLaren building, and the barn adjacent to the store were all burned. The loss is about $35,000 on building and contents, with some insurance carried.

Men from the Shawnigan Lake mill, from the stores and neighborhood, and boys from the Lonsdale School fought the conflagration. They were handicapped, however, by the lack of a public water supply, and the presence of a high wind. Some of the adjacent premises were saved by use of private water supplies, several buildings being endangered, sparks falling 300 yards away.

The destruction of the hall removes a landmark of the district. It has housed many athletic and social events, and among the losses

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Article Sixteen Under Study of British Cabinet

(Associated Press)

LONDON, April 2. — Rt. Hon. Philip Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer, told a questioner in the House of Commons today that interpretation of Article XVI of the League of Nations Covenant was under consideration, but that no proposal for its amendment had been made.

Interpretation of that article has been a moot point in British political circles, because of its significance regarding the French demands of the Naval Conference for adequate security.

Bishop Likely To Mediate in Woolen Strike

(Canadian Press Cable)

YORK, England, April 2. — The Archbishop of York, Most Rev. Dr. William Temple, will probably be asked to try to effect a settlement of the wage dispute in the Yorkshire woolen and textile industry. Hon. Ben Turner, president of the National Union of Textile Workers, put forward this suggestion, and it is expected it will prove acceptable to the employers.

The Bishop of Bradford and the President of the Bradford Free Church Council, have already sent a letter appealing for settlement, the terms of which were not published, but which apparently were treated with more than ordinary respect by both sides.

LIVES LOST IN DISASTER NUMBER 100

Overcrowded Ferry Boat Capsizes in Rough Sea Raised by Big Storm Off Japan

PASSENGERS CROWD TO VESSEL'S SIDE

(Associated Press)

TOKIO, April 2.—More than 100 Japanese are believed to have been drowned today in the sinking of the ferryboat Wakato Maru while proceeding from Wakamatsu, Island of Kyusha, to Tobata. The overcrowded boat was capsized in a rough sea.

A dispatch to the Rengo News Agency from Wakamatsu said that forty-eight bodies were recovered, and that the search for others was being continued despite high winds.

WERE 200 ON BOARD

The Wakato Maru, a small coastal vessel with a normal capacity of 100 passengers, was crowded with fully 200 when it left Wakamatsu for Tobata, a coast town nearby.

When the wind began whipping waves over the side of the ferryboat, the passengers crowded upon one side in their efforts to keep dry. This caused the boat to turn over.

Nearly all the entire coasts of the main islands of Japan are in the grip of storms and other shipping losses are feared.

LASHED BY GALE

The ferryboat, soon after leaving Wakamatsu for the town of Tobata, was lashed by a gale which swept huge waves aboard. The 200 passengers, twice the vessel's normal

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Grain Shipments From Vancouver Continue Light

VANCOUVER, April 2. — Grain shipments from the port of Vancouver for the week ending today were 1,199,260 bushels, approximately 400,000 bushels greater than last week, according to the weekly report of the Merchants' Exchange.

Total shipments for the season to date amounted to 33,832,375 bushels, against 77,492,965 for the previous crop year.

Elevator stores were 10,401,613 bushels, with 1,101,000 bushels en route or in terminals here.

April bookings total 3,317,998 bushels and there are ships in port today to load 500,000 bushels.

Indian Independence Is His Aim

SRIJUT PUNDIT HATILAL NEHRU

Who is looked upon as a national hero following his declaration in the Indian National Congress that his country should be completely independent from the British Government. At one time he was a prosperous lawyer in Northern India, during which time he wore all the latest modes from the fashion centres of Europe.

BROKER FIRM APPEALS STILL BEFORE COURT

Judgment Is Reserved on Matter of Search Warrants Issued Against Solloway, Mills Co.

RIGHT OF ENTRY IS MUCH QUESTIONED

TORONTO, April 2.—Judgment was reserved in the First Divisional Court at Osgoode Hall today in the first of three appeals by Solloway, Mills & Company, local mining stock brokerage firm, against the judgment of Mr. Justice Orde, who upheld the validty of the warrant issued by General Victori Williams, commissioner of provincial police, acting in his capacity as chief magistrate of Ontario.

TWO APPEALS ADJOURNED

Two other appeals before the court were adjourned until Friday. One appeals against the judgment of Mr. Justice Garrow, who would not quash the warrant issued in Alberta and endorsed by General Williams in Ontario, and the other appeals against the judgment of Mr. Justice Middleton, who heard an application for an order to restore the papers seized on the latter warrant, and refused a declaration it was invalid.

Sir William Mulock, Chief Justice on Ontario, presiding at the court, referring to the issuance of the warrant on which the company's records and papers were seized and transferred to Alberta for the use of that Government in connection with charges preferred against the

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Unemployment in Britain Emphasized to Exclusion Of More Favorable Facts

MONTREAL, April 2.—Regretting that the unemployment situation in Great Britain attracted the fullest notice and publicity to the exclusion of other and more favorable indications, Sir William Clark, British High Commissioner to Canada, today reviewed current British conditions in an address before the British Agents' Association here. "Recent Developments in Great Britain, Especially in Rationalization," was the topic.

EYES ON ENGLAND

A system of unemployment assurance had been established in England some years before the war. A complete register of those out of work had been available for a long time. In other countries there was no exact record of unemployed, hence the eyes of the world were turned on England, he said.

"To see this problem in the right perspective we must bear in mind that the unemployment problem is by no means peculiar to Great Britain," Sir William continued. "For some time past Germany has been faced with unemployment on a large scale and her percentage of unemployed is larger than ours, taking the populations of the two countries into consideration.

"There are no figures available for the United States except certain percentages published in the journal of the American Federation of Labor, which shows an increase in unemployment among the members of its body.

BUSINESS PICTURE

"However, let us turn to other indications which are more agreeable to contemplate. The general business picture, if one looks back as far as the boom year of 1919, or even farther than that to the happier period before the war, is one of activity, which in its variety, velocity and extent is greater than it had ever been before in our commercial history," the speaker said.

Recognition that new methods were required to meet new and more formidable competition and the active determination to transmute that recognition into practice was growing in British industry, he stated. The word most often employed in this connection was "rationalization," which the speaker defined as the application of common sense to industrial and commercial problems. In manufacturing the success with which it is applied will be measured by the reductions achieved in unit cost

OBTAIN ASSURANCE

The Right Hon. William Graham, President of the Board of Trade, opposed the Conservative amendment, which he described as an attempt to put bunker coal in an exceptionally favored position. When Sir Herbert Samuel spoke he obtained assurance from the Government that British interests would be fully protected.

The Liberals abstained from voting and the amendment was defeated by 271 to 165.

It was noteworthy that today, as on other days lately, the Right Hon. David Lloyd George, official leader of the Liberals, did not speak, but left the exposition of the party view to his chief lieutenants. This self-effacement, it is believed, is one of the results of the recent Liberal party meetings at which certain opposition to the Georgian "dictatorship" is said to have been expressed.

IRISH FREE STATE HEAD IS ELECTED

Mr. W. T. Cosgrave Secures Majority of Dail and Is Again Chosen as President

ONLY OUT OF POST FOR SHORT PERIOD

Republican Leader Says He Expected Result and Will Continue His United States Tour

(Associated Press)

DUBLIN, April 2.—Mr. William T. Cosgrave was re-elected President of the Executive Council of the Irish Free State tonight. The vote in the Dail Eireann was 80 to 65 in his favor. Mr. Cosgrave thus will resume after the brief interval of five days the important post which he held since 1922.

LONGEVITY RECORD

When his ministry fell last week it had achieved a record for longevity among European Cabinets in virtue of its eight years of continuous service. It lost by only two votes when that slender majority of the National Legislature favored extension of old age pensions, a measure which the President opposed as constituting too great a burden on the present finances of the country. At that time it was predicted that Mr. Cosgrave would be returned to office.

The President of the Irish Free State functions more like a premier in a Parliamentary Government. Ministers are chosen by the Dail Eireann, the chief legislative body, and must be members of that body and are responsible to it.

After the president is chosen, he nominates the vice-president and other members of the council, some of whom must be approved by the Dail.

BREAK PRECEDES VOTE

A break occurred within the ranks of Eamon de Valera's own party just the hour preceding convening of the Dail.

Sean Timass strongly urged the Finna Fail and entire opposition to support Thomas J. O'Connell, Labor party candidate for the office, as an alternative to either Mr. De Valera or Mr. Cosgrave.

He based his attitude on a statement by Mr. William Davis, of the

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LIBERALS OF OLD COUNTRY VERY UNEASY

In Spite of Agreement With Labor Some Members in House Criticize Coal Mines Bill

LOOK FOR REVOLT AGAINST LEADER

By GEORGE HAMBLETON
Canadian Press Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, April 2.—The Government's Coal Mines Bill advanced another step along its adventurous path today, but an element of doubt was again injected, this time by the spoken support given a Conservative amendment during the report stage by Sir Herbert Samuel, the Right Hon. Walter Runciman, and other stalwarts of the House of Lords.

The Conservatives sought to prevent the facilitation of the sale of export coal at a price less than that charged for bunker coal in Great Britain. They sought, they declared, to protect the British fishing and shipping interests.

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WILL PROROGUE

FREDERICTON, N.B., April 2.—New Brunswick Legislature will prorogue either Tuesday or Wednesday of next week, Premier J. B. M. Baxter has indicated. This session, the last before a general provincial election, will have lasted five and one-half weeks.

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Gold Dust, large pkts.	24c	Home-Made Bread, 2 for	15c
Nice Large Prunes, 2 lbs. for	29c	Johnston's Fluid Beef, per bottle	91c
Jasper Marmalade, 4-lb. tins	45c	Aylmer Pork and Beans, 5 tins	25c
		Florida Grapefruit, 2-lb. cans, each	24c

FARMERS OF PRAIRIES TO TAKE ACTION

New Political Association Is Created at Conference Held at Regina Yesterday

WILL BE WITHOUT LEADER FOR TIME

REGINA, April 2.—No leader will be chosen for the Saskatchewan Farmers' Political Association. This was the decision of the convention at its afternoon session today. Instead, the destinies of the new Saskatchewan political organization will be placed in the hands of a provincial executive of twenty-one members, representatives from each of the Saskatchewan Federal constituencies. This body will choose an executive of nine members, its own chairman, vice-chairman and other officers.

At the meeting this afternoon practically the whole period was taken up with the final consideration of the constitution. At the opening of the session there was read a telegram from the newly-formed Saskatoon Independent Labor party assuring the farmers' organization of its wholehearted support. For a portion of the afternoon Mr. G. Wallace Stewart, former Progressive member in the Federal House, and now a resident of Regina, presided.

LIVELY DISCUSSION

The proposal which was eventually tabled, provoked some of the heartiest discussion of the afternoon. During consideration of recommendations to be made to individual constituency associations, Mr. E. L. Heinrch, of Davidson, arose to recommend that these associations disallow any candidate of any previous election campaign, who had represented the Liberal or Conservative parties, to become a candidate as representative of the farmers' new political association.

The motion found a seconder and almost immediately comment broke loose.

"That means that no man will be subject to conversion," declared one.

"I support the idea, for if such a man were elected and he got down to Ottawa, he might 'backslide'," shouted another.

"Yes, some of them might be converted for convenience sake," observed another.

MR. LAING WINNER OF HIGH HONOR

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25 and 26. Each college delegation represents a state in the assembly, and the Clark delegation has been chosen to represent Canada. This is a fortunate choice, since the chairman of the Clark men is a Canadian himself.

The Model Assembly is conducted along the same lines of procedure as the actual assembly. This year the Model Assembly will limit its discussion wholly to three items in regard to Revision of the Covenant of the League of Nations. These topics will be considered during the course of three meetings.

The topic of the first meeting will be "Compulsory Settlement of International Disputes by Peaceful Means." The discussion will take the form of a debate on an amendment to the Covenant designed to "close the gap" which at present permits of war as a means of settlement of such disputes.

The topic to be discussed at the second meeting is "Security and Sanctions Against Aggressor Nations." As above, one amendment will be selected from a number necessary to revise the Covenant, so as to embody the principle of common action by all members of the League against any state which fails to fulfill its legal obligations in regard to the peaceful settlement of disputes.

THE MONROE DOCTRINE

The third meeting will have for its topic, "The Monroe Doctrine." An amendment will be introduced proposing to leave out the words: "like the Monroe Doctrine," in Article 21 of the Covenant, which recognizes the general validity of international engagements for securing the maintenance of international peace.

Mr. Laing, who was born at Nelson, received his public school training at Revelstoke, and later attended the High School in Victoria. He obtained further education at the Provincial Normal School here, and then spent a year at Victoria College. He taught two years in the public school at Kamloops, and then completed his three years' university studies at the University of British Columbia at Point Grey, where he graduated a year ago with his B.A. degree and honors in history.

During his undergraduate course, Mr. Laing won the Native Sons of Canada scholarship for a thesis on Canadian History.

Mr. Laing was awarded, following his graduation, the American Antiquarian Society Fellowship at Clark University, Worcester, Mass., which scholastic institution he is now attending.

VICEREGAL PARTY WILL ARRIVE TODAY

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morning. In the afternoon Lady Willingdon will be the guest of the Women's Canadian Club at tea at the Empress Hotel. The Governor-General will open the new Scout headquarters at 6:15 o'clock, and at 7 o'clock the Sea Cadet Corps will be inspected. Lord Willingdon will dine with the officers at Work Point Barracks.

Saturday the Viceregal party will be the guests of Mr. Norman Yarrow for a cruise on his launch, the Cynthia, starting from Sidney. This will be a fishing trip, the third which the visitors have had in the Cynthia.

NEXT WEEK'S PLANS

On Sunday morning Their Excellencies will attend the services at Christ Church Cathedral, the Governor-General reading the lessons. In the afternoon they will leave by Motor for Lake Cowichian and, arriving in the evening, will stay at the Riverside Hotel.

On Monday morning, early, the excitement of a trip by canoe down the Cowichan River will be undertake. This will occupy the entire day.

On Tuesday Premier and Mrs. Tolmie will entertain the visitors at luncheon. In the afternoon Lady Willingdon will open the I.O.D.E. loan collection. In the evening the Viceregal party will attend the special Solarium bneefit performance by the Gordon McLeod Players at the Royal Victoria Theatre, leaving immediately afterwards by boat for Vancouver.

VANCOUVER, April 2.—The Governor-General of Canada and Lady Willingdon arrived in Vancouver at 2 p.m. and left for Victoria later.

The Viceregal party was greeted by Mayor W. H. Malkin, members of the City Council and representatives of different organizations which request engagements when the Governor-General returns to Vancouver on April 9.

Mayor Malkin dined with the Governor-General on his private car.

Memory of Fairy Tale Writer Is Kept by Denmark

COPENHAGEN, April 2. — The atmosphere of the fairy tales hovered today over Copenhagen, for it was the one hundred and twenty-fifth anniversary of the birth of Hans Christian Andersen, master fairy story writer. Over practically all the houses, from the King's castle to suburbia, flags adorned with bright streamers floated in the breeze in his honor, and, as fancied by Andersen in one of his tales, all the children had chocolate and cakes at their schools.

Senator Says U.S. Looks After Own Interests and Wants Canada to Do Same

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selfish." The United States, he declared, always got the best of any bargain that it entered into with Canada.

"Are they taking our interests into consideration in the tariff they are framing?" asked Senator Tanner, in elaborating on his declaration that the United States consequently looked after its own interests exclusively, he asked: "How about the Chicago diversion? Are we getting any nearer to a solution of that?"

EXAMPLE TO CANADA

Senator Tanner said that the United States representatives in London today were saying: "Here we are. If you care to come to our terms there'll be an agreement." The senator expressed admiration for the point of view which he attributed to the United States. They were looking after their own interests, and he wished that the Government of Canada would take a similar attitude in respect to the Dominion.

There were two other speakers today, Senator Nathaniel Curry, of Nova Scotia, said he would not vote for the bill. In his opinion withdrawal of Canada's liquor exports from the United States would not affect the situation in that country. Canada exported about 2 per cent of the liquor consumed in the United States. Illicit manufacturers would very soon make up that deficiency.

Opposition to the proposal that the bill be sent to a special committee was voiced by Senator John Lewis, of Toronto. He thought information in regard to the bill and to the movement of liquor across the line was easily obtainable. The United States had made no demands for the legislation, he said.

Debate was adjourned by Senator G. D. Robertson. Before moving adjournment, Senator Robertson expressed the view that Canada might be in a better position to negotiate a general anti-smuggling treaty with the United States if the bill had not passed Parliament.

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National Sovereignty to Be Result of Conference Not Policy of Isolation

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desire for an impregnable defence, for a sure and final escape from aggression.

SYMPATHY WITH FRANCE

With that desire, I feel safe in saying, every nation at this conference has been in complete sympathy. France may doubt it—apparently does doubt it. She fears Italy, or if "fears" is not the right word, change it to "suspects". But whatever may be the secret thoughts of Italy, Great Britain, America and Japan unquestionably want France to be forever immune from aggression, and equally certainly would regard with aversion very dangerous to the aggression, any hostile movement against the republic.

Great Britain and America have opposed the French thesis of a hard and fast organisation against aggression, not in the least because they hate aggression less than France hates it or mean to labor less earnestly than France labors to avert it. These great industrial, economic, financial and naval powers have an interest in peace proportionate to their greatness. This interest will quicken, not slacken. It will take new forms of tangible expression—treaties for consultation and fact-finding—as time allows, but it never will drive either nation into a rigid contract destroying its liberty of action in an unpredictable crisis.

WILL DO HER DUTY

Great Britain's liberty in this respect, one may remark, already is prejudiced; she is a member of the League of Nations and a coguarantor of the Locarno treaties. True, and she undoubtedly will do her duty as she sees it—not necessarily as regards the Covenant, anyhow, as France sees it—in both these highly responsible relations. But—and here is the point of historic significance in London—she will not entangle herself further. She has called a halt. She surveys the surface of the whirlpool and does not like it. She says to herself: "We cannot help ourselves, we cannot help anybody, by plunging into that!"

What it all means really might be termed the first streaks of a new day in the English-speaking world. Great Britain, or at any rate the British Government, wanted the protocol of Geneva. Great Britain's Dominions would not have it. That made the homeland think.

WORKING FOR PEACE

It has thought still more since the King spoke so nobly to the five delegations and the world in the Royal Gallery of the House of Lords nearly eleven weeks ago, and now all parties in this country, backed by homogeneous and determined peoples, take their stand for non-entanglement and noncompulsion—for untrammeled co-operation—against their antithesis in the future relations of the British Commonwealth with its European and other sister nations. This means, in effect, reintegration of the English-speaking family for its own peace and for the full and free exercise of its united strength on behalf of the peace of the world. There you have that greater thing than the planners of this conference planned.

AGREEMENT IS REACHED WITH JAPAN

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Empire does not wish to appear as surrendering this claim.

LOWER RATIO

Figuring in all auxiliary classes of vessels, Japan would have a ratio of 69.6 per cent of the full American strength. But since the United States expects to have only fifteen instead of eighteen cruisers of 10,000 tons in service by 1936, the actual Japanese ratio will be between 72 and 73 per cent, and therefore is satisfactory to the Tokio Government.

In the auxiliary classes, Great Britain, the United States, and Japan established parity for submarines with 52,700 tons each. In destroyers the United States and Great Britain have 150,000 tons each and Japan 105,000.

In the light cruiser class carrying six-inch guns, Great Britain is to have 192,200 tons, the United States 143,500, and Japan 100,450.

The plan also takes into consideration the scrapping of battleships by Great Britain, the United States and Japan. The whole scheme is dependent upon fitting its figures into a five-power agreement.

DECISION TO POSTPONE

This transfer of the three-power agreement to the general framework of a five-power treaty had a direct bearing upon today's unexpected decision to postpone the plenary session which had been called for Friday of this week. The fact that the heads of all five delegations agreed to this postponement was taken in conference circles as significant of the hopes of reaching a five-power treaty.

The reason given was that M. Aristide Briand and Premier MacDonald wished more time to perfect the Anglo-French security formula which, at last, seems to be taking definite shape. It was announced that M. Briand will not return to Paris this week-end, but will remain here and continue to forge the political links necessary to make a binding disarmament agreement.

These political aspects of the situation still centre upon Article XVI of the Covenant of the League of Nations. Whether the outcome of these negotiations will bring sufficient reduction in the French minimum figures of 724,000 tons to permit carrying out the MacDonald-Hoover agreement and the more recent British-American-Japanese agreement was still a question for discussion among conference observers.

It was stated at French headquarters that the matter of reducing the tonnage figures had not been reached in the security negotiations.

REPORTS CONSIDERED

Considerable time was spent today in considering reports from Sir Maurice Hanket, Secretary-General of the conference. These had to do with the status of the technical work which would be acted upon at the plenary session, when and if held. This may not come before the end of next week.

In short, today's events caused expressions in official circles that the conference would have difficulty in concluding its work before Easter.

The Japanese delegation issued a statement tonight to show that their views on the three-power compromise were in general accord with the British and Americans. The statement said:

"The Japanese delegation transmitted to its Government the compromise plan emerging from informal conversations among British, American and Japanese delegates, and asked for instructions. The reply from Tokio arrived on April 1, and on April 2, at a meeting of the three delegations in St. James Palace, Mr. Wakatsuki announced that Japan had accepted the plan with a few reservations to which the sincere consideration of the American and British delegations was requested.

"As to details of such reservations, a further exchange of views will be made among the three delegations tomorrow.

RESOLVE TO CO-OPERATE

"It is a fact that since the subject matter of the negotiations was related to questions of national defence, there has been difficulty in arriving at a complete understanding among the three delegations. But the Japanese Government has always approached the subject with a firm resolve to co-operate with the participating powers so as to make the conference a success, and also because of their sincere desire to promote international peace and good will.

"In view of the fact that the present plan had grown out of a spirit of accommodation and conciliation among representatives of the concerned powers, the Japanese Government has agreed to make it the basis of a treaty to be concluded. In doing so the Japanese Government has also in mind the fact that this treaty would be enforced up to the end of 1936, and that thereafter all the nations concerned will be free to claim all that they deem necessary, and Japan will naturally be in a position to maintain, as heretofore, the claim of what she considers necessary from the point of view of national defence."

SERIOUS FIRE BURNS STORES AT SHAWNIGAN

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were a fine set of trophies won at various events by land and water in the locality.

In the fire also perished the library of the Shawnigan Lake Library organization, which was housed in the building. This community collection of books had a wide circulation in the district. The hall was a wooden building, and the loss was complete in this case.

At the McLaren store practically everything was lost, only some seed bags being saved. The contents are partially covered by insurance. The building is owned by Col. J. L. Whitaker.

The postmaster, Mr. J. C. Rathbone, saved most of the contents of the postoffice, except about $30 in currency.

Fire is alleged to have started in clearing operations on the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway right-of-way, and is now the subject of investigation to fix responsibility. At any rate, at 1 o'clock the hall, on the ground above the track was on fire, and the outbreak was beyond control before the McLaren store across the road had ignited.

The Alexander garage was endangered, but the sparks were quenched. The roof of the Yates residence was ignited, but a passer-by fortunately called the attention of occupants in time to check the blaze.

Late yesterday the sufferers by the fire were checking their losses, and making plans for the future.

LIVES LOST IN DISASTER NUMBER 100

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capacity, rushed to one side of the ship to escape drenching. In doing so their weight caused the boat to turn over. Two Siberian girl dancers were missing and the remainder of the dead, principally women and children, were believed to have been Japanese.

A majority of the passengers were natives of Tobata and were returning from Wakamatsu, where a festival at the shrine dedicated to Ebisu Shinto, God of Luck, had been held.

When the ferryboat capsised many steamers nearby came to the rescue, saving many. One professional diver saved thirty persons. The captain of the Wakato Maru was rescued and is in a critical condition in a hospital.

Despite the storm large crowds remained at the nearby beaches throughout the night, many searching frantically for missing relatives. During the night scores of fishing boats, lighted with torches and kerosene flares, floated at the scene of the disaster looking for bodies.

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TO PROBE CHARGES AGAINST POLICE

VANCOUVER, April 2.—Charges of police brutality arising out of the unemployment meetings held at Powell Street grounds, January 27-28, will be heard by the police commission at an early date. This was announced today at the meeting of the finance committee of the City Council following the disposal of the cases arising out of the demonstrations.

WINNIPEG, April 2.—Mrs. Lena Sashko, fifty-two, was fatally injured when struck by a motor truck near her home last night. She died within a few minutes of the accident.

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HENRY PLATER ON TRIAL FOR MANSLAUGHTER

Evidence for Prosecution Is Heard in Assize Court—Collision Results in Death of Woman

MARKS ON HIGHWAY SHOW CAR'S COURSE

Trial of Henry Plater on a charge of manslaughter began in the Assize Court yesterday before Mr. Justice Murphy, and, after several witnesses for the prosecution had been heard, was adjourned until this morning. Mr. H. W. R. Moore appeared for the Crown and Mr. R. C. Lowe for the accused. Three counts were presented: (1) Manslaughter due to criminal negligence; (2) Causing bodily harm as a result of criminal negligence, and (3) Causing bodily harm as a result of driving without reasonable care.

On January 9, on the East Saanich Road, about nine miles from the city, a car driven by Plater collided with a car driven by an Indian named Jimmy Fraser. One of Fraser's passengers, Miss Martha Davies, was fatally injured, and others suffered wounds and bruises. It is alleged by the prosecution that the collision was due to the manner in which the accused was driving his car.

Dr. J. H. Moore testified that he had performed an autopsy on the body of Mrs. Martha Davies, and stated that her death was due to injuries to her head such as might have been received from being thrown violently against any blunt surface.

Mr. H. H. Allan, civil engineer in the employ of the Saanich municipality, testified to having prepared a map of the scene of the accident. At the request of Chief of Police Rankin he had driven to that place on the following morning and had personally observed various marks on the roadway which were shown on the map. He had seen the Indian's car. The track it had left began on the right side of the road going north, near the edge of the pavement, and went off suddenly at a tangent across the road and over its side.

Photographs taken the same morning by Mr. A. H. Pease, showing the road at this point and the Indian's car, were also put in evidence.

TRACKS AND SKIDMARKS

Chief of Police Rankin testified to visiting the scene of the accident and to the tracks and other marks he observed there. These indicated that the Indian car had been travelling on the right side of the road going north when the collision occurred. He had later gone to the city and found Plater. Plater had told him that he did not know that two women in the other car had been badly injured.

FIRST AID GIVEN

Constable G. E. Hayden testified that at 8:15 o'clock on January 9, he had gone to the scene of the accident on instructions from Chief Rankin. The weather was dry and the night clear, though dark. He had found Mrs. Davies on an automobile cushion on the side of the road, and another woman also badly injured. He had given first aid, and an ambulance arriving presently, the women were taken away. Mrs. Davies was still conscious. He had examined skidmarks, tire burns and tracks. They showed that the Indian's car had been travelling on the right side of the road going north and had then suddenly gone at an angle across the road and over the edge, falling to lower ground and being overturned. One wheel had been taken off in the collision.

COMES AROUND CORNER

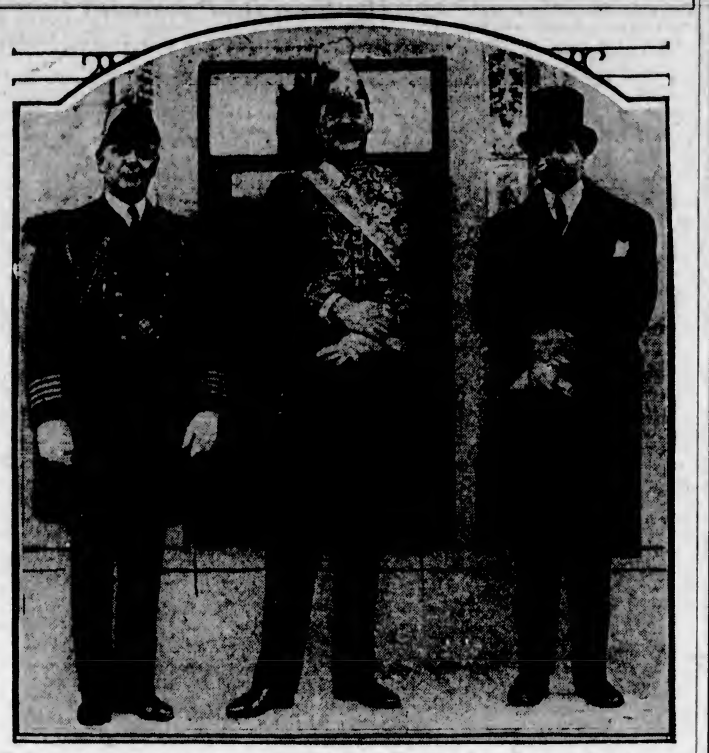
Jimmy Fraser, the driver of the Indian car, said that he had left the Indian reserve at Esquimalt and was going to Sidney. He had been travelling at a moderate rate. The Plater car had appeared coming round a corner and had run into his car. His car had been thrust violently across the road, and over the cribbing at its side. One man, Robbie Davies, had been sitting in the front with him. In the rear seats were Mrs. Davies, Jimmy Johnny, Mrs. Jimmy Johnny, and a little girl, a niece. All had been more or less injured.

SUDDEN CRASH

Robbie Davies had seen the Plater car approaching. It had run into them while they were on the right side of the road, near the edge. When a glare appeared from around the corner, striking the pavement ahead of them, Fraser had slowed up the car. Then the headlights on the Plater car came in view, dazzling him as they shone full in front. In another moment the crash came. He was unconscious for a few seconds. Then he found himself at the side of the road with the car overturned and saw the injured woman.

Mr. J. B. Bradstock gave evidence that he had been driving into the city when he came upon wreckage in the road and found the occupants of both cars there. He did not see the Plater car. He had asked if anyone wanted to be taken into the city and Plater and Nixon and a young lady had accepted his offer. He had brought them in. He noticed that the two others appeared to have been drinking, but could not say as to Plater as the latter sat at the back of the car and was silent.

New British Ambassador Arrives



THE photograph here shows a scene at the White House, Washington, D.C., when Sir Ronald Lindsay, new British Ambassador to the United States, called to present his letters of credence to President Hoover. Left to right: Capt. Allen Buchanan, Sir Ronald Lindsay, and Mr. Francis White, of the State Department.

Worsted Mills Pay Interest On Debentures

THE B.C. Worsted Mills, Limited, paid into the city treasury interest in full for the current half-year, due April 1, 1930, on the woolen mills' debenture issue, it was announced at the City Hall yesterday.

SORBONNE GIVES SPECIAL COURSE

Attractive Educational Tour for Canadians Offered in Paris This Summer

Among the numerous attractive educational tours in Europe for Canadians this year is a seven-week Summer course at the Sorbonne, beginning June 29 and ending August 30.

The scheme was inaugurated seven years ago and several Victoria teachers and others have already participated in one of other of the courses, finding them so enjoyable and beneficial that they have been among the most enthusiastic exponents. The sessions constitute an academic tour of the highest educational value, uniting in their comprehensive programme of studies and supervised travel all the chief advantages which a stay in France permits, including the experience of living in carefully selected private families or pensions where French domestic life can be seen at its best; studies under the direction of professors of the University of France; visits and promenade lectures in and about Paris and the facilities which these afford for seeing one of the worlds most celebrated cities; an academic tour to the most beautiful region of France and exploration of museums under the direction of eminent art teachers and lecturers.

It will interest members of l'Alliance Francaise here that Professor Cestre, who addressed the local organization shortly after the termination of the Great War, is one of the lecturers at the Sorbonne courses in French language and literature which are offered in connection with the classes this Summer. Professor Cestre left the impression here of having a very cultured and brilliant mind.

Among the French literature which will be taken up during the course will be Corneille's "Le Cid," Racine's "Andromaque," Moliere's "Don Juan," La Fontaine, Voltaire, Rousseau, Beaumarchais, Chateaubriand, Lamartine, Victor Hugo, Vigny, Musset's "Fantasio," Gautier's "Les Hirondelles," Balzac, Georges Sand, Flaubert's "Salammbo," Anatole France, Zola, Huysmans, J. Renard, Francoise de Curel, Bergson, Maeterlinck, Bourget, Barres, Peguy, Proust, Colette, Francis Jammes, Claudel, Comtesse de Noailles and Paul Fort.

Among the places to be included in the conducted visits are the Place de la Sorbonne, Notre Dame, Saint-Julien, Saint Severin, Cluny, the Louvre, Sevres, the Ecole Bouile, Saint-Etienne du Mont, the Pantheon, Versailles, the Saint Chapelle and Conciergerie, Le Bourget airport, Saint Denis, Place de la Nation and the cemeteries of Picpus and Pere Lachaise, the Trocadero, Victor Hugo and Carnavalet Museums, and excursions to Chartras Fontainebleau, Chantilly, Reims, Maintenon, Rambouillet, Rouen and Mont Saint-Michel.

LIVED WITH BULLET IN HEART

How a soldier lived six months with a bullet embedded in his heart has been revealed in the report of the Director General of the British Army Medical Service. The man was accidentally wounded through the chest by a .22 bullet. There were no immediate symptoms, but six months later serious impairment of the heart became evident, and he died. At the autopsy it was found that the bullet, which was embedded in the tissues of the posterior mediastinum, had been the means of establishing a fibrous channel connecting the right auricle with the root of the aorta.

VERDICT FREES DAWLEY, VIPOND

Assize Jury Finds Accused "Not Guilty" of Theft—Housebreaking Charge Not Pressed

A verdict of "not guilty" on the charge of theft of money from Mrs. Sworder, was brought in by the jury yesterday, at the assize trial of C. Dawley and C. Vipond. A second charge of housebreaking and theft from Mrs. More had already been abandoned, at the conclusion of Mrs. More's evidence.

Argument by counsel and the judge's charge occupied the morning session of the court. Mr. D. S. Tait, opening for the defence, said that Mrs. Sworder's evidence showed that she had not opened the handbag left in the house on Saturday about 2 o'clock until some time the following morning. She had lost a $10 bill and Dawley had been found to have a $10 bill issued by the same bank. That was all that the prosecution offered to connect the accused with the loss of the money, except that two men had been seen to enter Mrs. More's gate while she was away, and two witnesses had said that they recognized Dawley and Vipond as the men. One of the witnesses, Lee, had only seen them fifty yards off for a brief instant. The second witness, Miller, said that one of the men was noticeably shorter than the other, while Dawley and Vipond were of the same height within a fraction of an inch. Miller had said that one of the men carried a walking cane, but it had been shown that neither Dawley nor Vipond was carrying a cane on the day in question. In short, no evidence had been adduced against the accused such as would justify the action taken in their case. On the other hand evidence much more than was necessary had been brought forward to show that Dawley and Vipond had been in the centre of the city at the time when it was alleged that they had been seen in Oak Bay.

FOR THE PROSECUTION

Mr. H. W. R. Moore, Crown Prosecutor, held that the jury had to decide whether they would believe Miller, who was a reputable man with no motive for misrepresenting the fact, or believe the accused. The alibi presented, he could suggest, had been carefully prepared beforehand. The evidence presented by the defence did not account for all of the time spent by the accused during the afternoon, and in the time not accounted for they might have committed the theft. Evidence had shown that they were spending money freely and no corresponding income had been revealed.

JUDGE'S CHARGE

In charging the jury, Mr. Justice Murphy emphasized that they were not to decide whether or not they thought it probable that the accused were guilty, but whether or not the evidence had proved beyond a reasonable doubt that they were guilty. They had first to decide whether the crime had been committed. While the accused were alleged to have been seen at the house in the afternoon of one day, the loss of the money had not been discovered until the following day, and it was not shown that no one else had been in the house.

The accused, His Lordship said, had brought witnesses to prove an alibi. An alibi, if proved, was the best possible defence. It was also one of the easiest to manufacture, if he might use that term, and perfectly honest witnesses might be used for the purpose. In the present case, there were a number of witnesses who swore that they had seen the accused during the afternoon, and, even if they were more or less inaccurate as to the precise hour when they saw the accused, the time was somewhere in the course of the afternoon between 2 and 5.

The jury, the court concluded, must remember that the onus was on the Crown to prove its case. If they were in doubt as to questions of law, they could apply to the court for information. If doubts arose as to what evidence had been given, they could have the evidence read to them from the record.

The jury retired shortly before the noon adjournment and brought in a verdict of "not guilty" early in the afternoon. The prisoners were then discharged.

ROTARY MEETING

The Victoria Rotary Club will hold its weekly luncheon session at 12:10 p.m. today, in the grillroom of the Empress Hotel. The meeting will adjourn immediately after lunch, when members are invited to join the Canadian Club meeting in the ballroom to hear the address of His Excellency the Governor-General.

Someone had hinted to old man White that his daughter was secretly married, and the old fellow flew into a terrible rage. When his daughter came home from business he vowed he would find out the truth or die in the attempt.

"Mary," he said sternly to the girl that evening, "I have been told that you are secretly married."

"Well," replied Mary evasively, "I ain't saying I ain't."

Old man White nearly boiled over at the ambiguity of the answer.

"I ain't asking you if you ain't," he thundered. "What I ask you is, if you is?"

Edmonton "Reds" Head Unemployed Demonstration

EDMONTON, April 2.—Unemployed, led by Communist organizers, marched 650 strong to the Legislative Buildings and Civic Block here yesterday afternoon. At the Parliament Buildings the marchers were told that their demands would be placed before the Legislative Assembly this afternoon.

At the City Hall their reception was not so cordial, Mayor Douglas telling them that their requests were unreasonable and bordered on the ridiculous.

Work at union wages, or full maintenance at the rate of $25 per week for each child under sixteen was asked; also $18 per week for single men; free light, heat and gas. They also demanded noneviction for nonpayment of rent and abolition of the vagrancy law.

Victoria-Vancouver Air Service Resumes

Commencing today, the Alaska-Washington Airways of B.C., Limited, will resume daily trips between Victoria and Vancouver. The plane will leave Victoria twice daily, 9:50 a.m. and 5:15 p.m., for the Mainland. The Victoria-Seattle schedule has not been altered, the plane leaving for Seattle at 10:10 a.m. and 4:05 p.m. daily.

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Thursday, April 3, 1930

THE VICEREGAL VISIT

His Excellency, Viscount Willingdon, is a visitor here today in the course of his periodical tours through the Dominion which are undertaken with such regularity. The Governor-General combines seriousness and enthusiasm in the discharge of the duties of his office. He is consistently attentive in his desire to enlarge his knowledge of Canadian conditions. He is enthusiastic even in official preoccupations, and it is the enthusiasm of one who is thoroughly happy in his task. The characteristics of the Governor-General and Her Excellency have earned for them both the cordial respect of the people of the Dominion. They are popular in the best sense of that term for they have won their way into the hearts of the people by natural graces, by the interest they have shown in men and affairs and by the spirit that distinguishes all their actions.

His Excellency speaks today before the Canadian Club. In the course of his tour he is carrying out many duties and in doing so he shows that he is anxious always to come into touch with the people and share in their problems. He has a keen regard for the value of the Canadian Clubs throughout the Dominion. He believes that the organization constitutes a clearing house for ideas on subjects which are uppermost in the public mind. It is peculiarly appropriate, therefore, that one of his observant mind should address the local club just as he has spoken to so many branches of the organization all over the Dominion. What he has to say is always worth hearing. Another function of pleasing character in which he will participate while here is at the opening of the new headquarters of the Boy Scouts. Lord Willingdon is a leader in this movement. He is, in fact, the Chief Scout of the Dominion. His interest has led to a growth of membership of the Boy Scouts in Canada and there are few institutions that are doing better work for the youth of this and other countries.

Their Excellencies are welcome guests in Victoria. Already they have shown in previous visits an intense liking for this quarter of the Dominion. We could well believe that were it possible they would spend more time on the Pacific Coast. They have made no secret of the fact that they always look forward to coming to Vancouver Island. That is a dual tribute to our people and our climate. In turn, our residents, with each succeeding visit, have given Their Excellencies a warmer place in their hearts. There is, indeed, a marked growth in the popularity which they enjoy from one end of the Dominion to the other.

TAXING CAPITAL

There are instances in which governments are purblind to their own interests and to the welfare of the communities they govern. In the matter of taxation government can easily be drawn into the maelstrom of a vicious circle. It sees a goal of an aggregate revenue to be reached by imposts; its concern remains, therefore, to arrive at that total by taxation lying ready to its hand, and by that we mean such as is already in being which can be increased and supplemented through the means of new taxation. Rarely does a government show vision regarding the development which could be brought about by eliminating a tax altogether and thus leading to larger receipts from all remaining sources of revenue. It is difficult for any government to foresee that definite taxation relief is the greatest of tonics that can be administered to a people.

Quebec, of all provinces in the Dominion, is engaged in a retrograde step at the present time. It is revising its Succession Duties Act. Ostensibly the propaganda on behalf of the amending legislation is that it gives relief to the small estate and makes up for this by taxing the large estate more heavily than in the past. The Government flatters itself that it is taking the burden from the weak and putting it upon the strong. In other words, it is to confiscate less of small capitals and more of large capitals. In the aggregate it is to derive greater revenue because capital as a whole is to be more heavily taxed. The Bill now before the Quebec Legislature has normal and super taxes in the form of Succession Duties rising as high as 25 per cent of estates. There is not a shadow of doubt that such legislation will react unfavorably on the fortunes of the province.

The Montreal Gazette points out that hitherto Quebec has been the envy of other provinces because of its reputation for sane conservation in the treatment of capital. The consequence has been that capital has flowed to that province in large volume and has been employed for industrial development. Now, however, Quebec has undertaken to draw heavily on capital, and to use what it draws for the purpose of ordinary revenue. In other words, the proportion of capital it takes as a tax will cease to be capital. Those to whom it belongs, by the right of legacy, will only be able to employ a percentage of what their fathers employed. There will be less capital available and Quebec must suffer in proportion, and it will suffer as well because, by a capital absorption process, new capital will be prevented from going to that province.

What Quebec is doing has given rise to considerable comment. A correspondent of The Montreal Gazette raises the question of whether or not a tax on accumulated capital can be considered as applicable to current Government expenditures. He says: "I do not think the accumulated capital of the citizens of any country should form a portion of the governmental expenditure devoted to current needs. It should only be assigned to capital uses, or purposes where the investment of the tax still retains its identity as capital." "This," says The Gazette, "expresses much the same principle as is invoked when exception is taken to the imposition of an unreasonably heavy succession impost: the point in each instance is that capital is being taken from the field in which it ought to be employed if it is to function as a means of production; and capital should so function at all times if the community is to share in its benefits. Neither the Government nor the Assembly has given adequate consideration, if any, to this phase of the Succession Duties question, the result being that the Bill far oversteps the line of economic safety and constitutes a threat, which capital—always sensitive—is bound to observe."

AN EFFICIENT CIVIL SERVANT

The tributes paid to Mr. J. E. Miller, who has just retired from the position of Inspector of Customs and Excise after forty-seven years of service with the Department, are richly deserved. He is a widely popular Victorian. This may be said of him, namely, that during his inspectorship complaints regarding incidents connected with his administration were conspicuous by their absence. This illustrates the efficiency he brought to bear on the duties of his office, the loyalty and harmony he inspired among his staff and the courtesy that he always showed to the public.

Mr. Miller is well known for his interest in and support of sport, for his desire to forward the welfare of the young and for characteristics which make him a most desirable type of citizen. He has earned a rest after his long years of labor. He can take it now with the assurance that he is invested with the kindest thoughts emanating from all those with whom he came into contact during his lengthy official career, and he has, as well, the best wishes for his long life and happiness from all the many friends he has won during his lengthy residence in this community.

Radio broadcasting is popular everywhere except in India. The only broadcasting company of any size in that country after two and a half years of operation has had to go into voluntary liquidation. In India many owners of radio sets appear to have refused to pay licences. It is also found difficult to arrange suitable programmes owing to the large number of different dialects spoken in the country and the different tastes of the people. Wireless reception is bad and too much interference is caused by atmospheric conditions. For the moment the radio business is comparatively dead in India.

It is estimated that the loss of revenue Canada will suffer through the policy of preventing liquor exports to the United States will range from $12,000,000 to $15,000,000. Presumably there will be increased taxation in some other respect to meet this deficit. That will be the penalty our people will pay for legislating in the interests of a foreign country.

Mispronounciation of words is bad enough in the "talkies." It is perhaps a forse fault among radio announcers. Back of all the mishandling of the language lies slovenliness in the schools. The teachers themselves are sometimes the worst offenders. There seems to be no course devoted to pronounciation in our Normal curriculum.

Modernity has found that there are some places too sacred for its tread. Bare-legged girls of the United States and their compatriots wearing plus fours have been excluded from visiting the sacred elephants at Siam. It was held that their dress would desecrate the stables.

THE POOL'S GAMBLE

Newspaper editors throughout Canada are receiving more wheat pool propaganda literature now than ever before. The pools seem to realize that they are backed into the corner of public opinion and have a great deal of explaining to do. The business interests of Canada are inclined to feel that the pool's policy of holding wheat, and its abandonment of its professed policy of orderly marketing (in brief, gambling in wheat instead of marketing it) is largely responsible for current business depression in Canada.

In attempting to allay public dissatisfaction with their policies the pool has brought forward many statements that will not stand examination.

A few days ago when wheat prices were around $1.15 the wheat pool issued a statement that it had never held up wheat sales and would offer it for sale whenever there was a demand for it. Yet when wheat was $1.50 last Fall the pools were boasting that, while there was a demand they would hold for higher prices. They said at the time:

"With only 150,000,000 bushels of Canadian wheat available for blending purposes the probability is that there will not be any more than enough wheat to go around. Furthermore, the season in which Canada exports most freely is still two weeks away, and apart from the normal early harvest and rapid grain movement the situation is very nearly normal from an export point of view."

Taking the pool's October statement at is face value it is apparent that it could have sold wheat at around $1.50, but refused to do so. Its refusal helped to bring on the "restriction of Canadian business" that it at that time professed a desire to prevent.—Financial Post.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, at 8 p.m., April 2, 1930.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	41	51
Nanaimo	--	37	53
Vancouver	--	42	52
Kamloops	--	48	66
Prince George	--	34	52
Estevan Point	.06	40	44
Prince Rupert	.72	38	44
Dawson	--	16	34
Seattle	--	38	50
Portland	--	40	54
San Francisco	--	52	62
Spokane	--	42	66
Los Angeles	--	52	66
Penticton	--	36	71
Vernon	--	36	68
Grand Forks	--	30	70
Nelson	--	32	65
Cranbrook	--	36	63
Calgary	--	34	62
Edmonton	--	30	68
Swift Current	--	28	66
Prince Albert	--	28	50
Qu'Appelle	--	34	50
Winnipeg	--	34	46

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong southerly winds; unsettled and mild, with rain.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Fresh to strong southerly winds on the gulf; unsettled and mild, with rain.

WEDNESDAY

Maximum	51
Minimum	41
Average	46
Minimum on grass	38

General state of weather, fair. Bright sunshine, 5 hours 54 minutes.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.90; wind, S., 12 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.88; wind, S.E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.52; wind, S., 4 miles; clear.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.44; wind, S., 20 miles; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.60; wind, S.E., 4 miles; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.80; wind, S.E., 26 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Wind, S., 24 miles; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 29.98; wind, S.W., 4 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.94; wind, S., 14 miles; fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.10; wind, W., 4 miles; clear.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

O, wad some power the giftie gie us
Tae see oorsels as ithers see us.

Victoria, B.C.,
March 31, 1930.

Dear R. B. D.,—Why have you such a "down" on the Scot?

Your "attack" on the Glasgow folk in your Notes and Comments in yesterday's Colonist gives one the impression that you are either an Irishman or that you are not very well up in your Rob Roy, Baillie Nicol Jarvey. Ma conscience. Look up your Scott and you will find the guidman referred to was Baillie Nicol Jarvie. (You and your Jarvey—being Irish, you ought to know what a Jarvey is).

A Glasgow Baillie is not the contemporary to a Victoria Alderman—a Glasgow Baillie is a magistrate and sits on the bench every morning, Sunday excepted, and "tries" the drunks and street brawlers (mostly Irish) of the day previous. Furthermore, he does not receive any salary for this work. A common or garden five-eight Town Councillor is contemporary to a Victoria Alderman, the only difference being that he gets no salary.

Glasgow is certainly the most efficient and well governed city in the world, and, besides owning her street cars and buses, owns her waterworks, electricity, gas, washhouses, bowling greens, golf courses, swimming baths, etc.

Glasgow may be murky, but is the most hospitable and open-handed city in the Empire (see "In Search of Scotland"). During the Tank Week Loan in 1917 or 1918, Glasgow subscribed fourteen million pounds sterling, over three times the amount of London and ten times the amount of any other city in Britain, and this year the Glasgow University students collected over seventeen thousand pounds on their tag day for charities.

Long may her motto be "Let Glasgow Flourish."

Yours to a cinder,
A FREEMAN CITIZEN OF GLASGOW.

P.S.—Why does B. C. not follow the example of the Glasgow Baillie and hire a hundred men to burn the question papers asked in the hive of brains over the Bay? The public would then get more labor for their money than they are getting now.

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We should have known better. Before attempting to write anything in either humorous or serious vein about Glasgow, we should have asked ourselves the question: What do you know about Glasgow who only Clydesiders know? But we have learned our lesson and retreated into the Valley of Humiliation to meditate upon our sins of commission. Never again as long as The Colonel is about Victoria (for The Colonel is our "Freeman Citizen of Glasgow," although he is ashamed to sign his name) shall we write anything about the most wonderful, the most enterprising and the most munificent city in the world, albeit it is Scotch, until we have made a study of the municipal system of a city which began life on the banks of a ditch and flourishes on one of the busiest stretches of waterway in the world, nor until we have read "Rob Roy" for the fifth or sixth time, and which is on our private shelves at the present time. We told you The Colonel was a peppery fellow, almost as choleric in temper as if he were an Indian colonel and had been fed upon hot curries and other fiery dishes, instead of upon haggis and Scotch broths, for many years.

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If you should happen to meet and enter into conversation with an Edinburgh man, you will probably be told that in the opinion of the cultured Scot, Glasgow, whatever it may have been in the days of Baillie Nicol Jarvie (we hope we have got the name right this time) is not at the present time a strictly Scottish city. The celebrated Baillie was a douce and canny old fellow. Although managing to keep strictly within the provisions of the law, he kept up a profitable intercourse with Rob Roy, who was an outlaw—a bold, courageous, generous and picturesque outlaw, but nevertheless an outlaw. Rob's surname was McGregor. He was one of the ancestors of the still famous clan of whom the poet sang:

McGregor, despite them, shall flourish forever!

But the McGregors flourish more luxuriantly in Canada and many other countries than they do in Scotland. If their distinguished ancestor was an outlaw, the McGregors, wherever they are gathered, live strictly within the provisions of the law. They are highly respected and esteemed citizens of many countries, almost as highly respected and esteemed in Canada as the even more numerous Macdonalds, although they have not been quite so conspicuous as leaders in public affairs and in the legal and other learned professions.

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And the clans when they came to Canada left their blood feuds behind them. Mr. Morton, in his most interesting book on Scotland and the Scots, tells a story about a Macdonald, who had become friendly with a Campbell, inviting the Campbell to become a guest in his father's house in the little clachan of Glencoe. Before entering the house the guest was warned that perhaps it would be better to suppress his name. After eating and drinking, the host inquired the stranger's name, and the Campbell, who was not ashamed of his ancestry and with true Highland pride could not be guilty of a falsehood, admitted that he was a member of the clan which the Macdonalds held responsible for the bloody massacre, the old man wrathfully ordered him to leave the house.

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While reading Mr. Morton's book (which is still in our possession although the property of our friend and critic The Colonel) we wondered how a mere Englishman could have acquired such a perfect knowledge of the Scottish Doric. (We were on the very point of calling it the Scottish dialect, but fortunately checked ourselves in time). We are no longer bewildered upon that point. The author visited Aberdeen, whose chief exports are jokes against Aberdonians, fish and editors. The jokes, the fish and the editors are practically all exported to London, where there is always a brisk demand for them.

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Read what Mr. Morton says about Aberdeen and its exports: "The Aberdonian is, to my eyes, the most distinct of all the city types of Scotland, but that is perhaps because I know him better than any other, having suffered in my youth agonies from his relentless passion for accuracy. English journalism is red with the hair of Aberdonians. Newspaper proprietors feel safer when these hardheads are about, because they reduce to the lowest minimum the risk of libel actions. The dreadful blue pencils of Aberdonians travel cautiously over the world's news, cutting out the cackle and getting down to the bare bones of reality. A pencil in such hands ceases to be a pencil; it becomes a surgical implement. But the finest training for a young writer full of that mental flatulence which he mistakes for the divine afflatus is a year of hell under an ex-schoolmaster from Aberdeen. I hit up against the Aberdeen mentality when, as a young journalist from the provinces, I took the post of junior sub-editor on one of the big London dailies." Then the author tells a story which you must read in the book, for we have not the space to tell it, but which convinces us that Aberdeen must bear the same relation to journalism in Britain that Bruce bears to journalism in Canada.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

IN A CATHEDRAL

Here in a dimness which is eloquent
of thoughts unspoken, thoughts
too high for speech,
With muted music and soft light
is blent
A sense of things beyond words'
utmost reach.
Here Silence lays her fingers on the
lips
And pours her balm into the
troubled heart;
Cares pass away like distant, outbound ships
That slowly down the horizon depart.

Far off, across the sanctuary's
gloom,
Within the space too sacred for
men's feet,
Like little stars the joyous candles
bloom,
Like holy thoughts the incense
rises sweet;
A benediction lingers everywhere,
A brooding Presence thrills the
lambent air.

INDUSTRIALIST DIES

VANCOUVER, April 2.—After a long fight against an exhausting illness, Mr. W. H. Leckie, who for thirty years was one of Vancouver's best-known industrialists and public figures, died at 11 a.m. at the General Hospital. He had been at that institution for more than one month.

ONTARIO TAKES FORWARD STEP

FILMS SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN WILL BE SPECIFIED IN ADVERTISING MATTER

Will Be Guide for Parents in Selecting Suitable Entertainment

Parents in Ontario will no longer have to decide the problem of what motion pictures are suitable for their children to view, but in future will be guided in their choice of juvenile entertainment by what they read in motion picture advertising.

Under a new regulation which came into effect in February, the 400-odd motion picture exhibitors in the province will be required to mention in their newspaper and billboard advertising, the fact that certain productions have been approved as "universal entertainment."

This ruling was announced by Hon. Dr. J. D. Monteith, Provincial Treasurer.

"For the past year the board has been classifying films that were suitable for children or for family entertainment," said Dr. Monteith. "It is now the intention of the board to notify the 400 or more exhibitors in Ontario that in cases where they are offering films marked 'U' by the board, they shall advertise this fact in all their advertisements. We are putting this into force in a purely advisory way. It will be compulsory for exhibitors to advertise the classification, but it will not mean that children will be stopped from viewing pictures which have not been marked in this manner.

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

"When parents read a film advertisement that does not mention that the offering has been approved by the censors as universal entertainment, they will then know that we do not approve of juveniles seeing and hearing this picture," said Dr. Monteith.

The equipment used by the film censors has been brought up to date by the installation of sound apparatus which was necessitated by the fact that many films have sound. The apparatus was installed recently and cost approximately $8,000. It is a DeForest system with both disc and film sound apparatus.

The effect that talking pictures has had on the work of censorship has been causing the examiners 50 per cent more work, owing to the longer time taken in running off the picture and in the greater care needed in watching the picture and listening to the dialogue.

Mr. J. C. Boylen, chairman of the board of censors, stated that the demands made on the censors have been considerably increased as a result of the revolution in the motion picture world. The dialogue must be listened to carefully and the picture must be given the same close observation as given in the days of the silent film.

"And talking pictures have not resulted in a decrease of the number of rejections," declared Mr. Boylen. "One of the results of the advent of talkies has been that the cutting of a picture must be done with great care in order that the dialogue be not cut off in the middle of a sentence or otherwise given an uneven sound and the film ragged in appearance."

CENSUS TAKING IN U.S. COMMENCED

WASHINGTON, April 2.—An army of 120,000 census enumerators enters energetically today upon the gigantic task of counting the American population. Ringing front door bells, tapping brass knockers along the hallways of city apartment houses, driving through the gates of farmsteads, searching out obscure families in the mountains and on the plains, they embarked upon what is intended to be the most complete tabulation of the American people and their economic conditions ever accomplished.

This Week's Great Dav

THE MURDER OF PRINCE ARTHUR

On April 3, 1203, Prince Arthur, who was then only sixteen years of age, was foully murdered by King John of England, the most bloodthirsty and tyrannical monarch in the history of Britain.

Arthur, who was born in 1187, was the posthumous child of Geoffrey, the fourth son of Henry II of England, while his mother was Constance, the heiress of Conan IV, Duke of Brittany. Thus, at the time of his birth, Arthur was not only Duke of Brittany, but he stood second in the line of succession to the English throne.

When Henry II died in 1189 he was making preparations for seizing the dukedom of Brittany, and immediately his successor and third son, Richard I, known in history as "Coeur de Lion," ascended the throne, he claimed the guardianship of his nephew, Arthur, but he was prevented from enforcing the claim by his early departure on a crusade to the Holy Land. During Richard's absence in Palestine, Constance took the reins in her own hands, and in 1194 she had her son duly proclaimed Duke by an assembly of the Breton bishops and barons.

On Richard's return to England he dispatched an army to Brittany, but it was defeated, and in 1197 he became reconciled to Constance and Arthur. Two years later, Richard died, and Arthur, who was then twelve years of age, was his rightful successor, but the English throne was usurped by his uncle, John, the fifth son of Henry II who lost no time in making several futile attempts to kidnap and poison his nephew.

The people of England submitted to John's usurpation, for the majority felt that it was better to have a grown man to govern them than a child, although they soon had good reason to regret their choice, but the barons of the English provinces in France gave their allegiance to Arthur and refused to acknowledge John as their overlord. Arthur pronounced his claim to the English throne, mainly on the persuasion of Philip Augustus, King of France, but in 1202, when the French monarch wished to wrest Normandy from John and declared war against them for that purpose, he put forward the claims of Arthur as his principal pretext for hostilities.

Soon after the war commenced, Arthur, who went into the field with his barons, was captured by John at Mirabeau, and was imprisoned for some months at Falaise, where his custodian, Hubert de Burgh, was ordered to deprive him of his eyesight. Hubert's refusal to commit this dastardly act led to the young prince being removed to Rouen, where he was murdered.

The sad story of Arthur's tragic end has been so differently told by various historians and chroniclers that it is difficult to ascertain the true facts, but the narrative of Ralph, Abbot of Coggeshall, is generally accepted as being authentic. According to Ralph, Arthur was taken from his cell in the early hours of April 3, 1203, and placed on a boat on the River Seine, which washed the walls of his prison. In the boat he found himself alone with his uncle, John, and a man named Peter de Maulac, and the lonely spot, the dark hour, and the darker looks of his uncle, told the youth that his last hour had come. His pathetic appeals that his life might be spared were disregarded, and when the boat reached the middle of the deserted river he was stabbed to the heart and his body flung into the stream, but whether it was John, or his companion, who was the assassin will never be known.

In Shakespeare's play, "King John," the scene of Arthur's imprisonment is placed by the dramatist at Northampton, instead of in France, and later in the play Arthur takes his own life by leaping from the roof of his prison, a misstatement of facts which has become erroneously accepted as historical truth.

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Tides at Victoria

TIDE TABLE

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Date	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
1 ..	3:35	5.0	10:42	2.2	17:36	6.8	21:36	5.1
2 ..	3:34	5.3	11:30	2.5	19:45	6.8	21:59	5.7
3 ..	3:40	5.5	12:20	2.1	.....	....	.....	....
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8 ..	2:15	5.1	17:11	2.1	.....	....	.....	....
9 ..	1:55	7.5	9:38	7.0	16:15	7.5	18:09	3.5
10 ..	1:54	7.7	7:15	6.0	11:52	7.3	18:59	3.3
11 ..	1:56	7.8	7:54	4.6	13:16	7.3	19:45	3.0
12 ..	2:01	8.0	8:33	3.7	14:35	7.2	20:35	4.7
13 ..	2:13	8.3	9:13	2.8	16:05	7.1	21:01	5.6
14 ..	2:27	8.4	9:55	2.2	17:41	7.2	21:23	6.4
15 ..	2:42	8.5	10:38	1.8	18:34	7.2	22:00	7.1
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19 ..	1:52	8.3	13:55	3.0	.....	....	.....	....
20 ..	1:06	8.3	14:42	3.4	.....	....	.....	....
21 ..	1:20	8.3	15:32	2.7	.....	....	.....	....
22 ..	1:30	8.3	16:27	2.1	.....	....	.....	....
23 ..	1:30	8.0	17:20	3.5	.....	....	.....	....
24 ..	1:22	7.8	7:57	5.7	11:18	8.3	18:10	3.9
25 ..	1:17	7.7	7:55	5.1	12:23	8.4	18:51	4.4
26 ..	1:20	7.7	8:09	4.4	12:40	8.5	19:36	4.5
27 ..	1:29	7.8	8:31	3.8	14:46	8.7	19:58	5.5
28 ..	1:38	8.2	9:02	3.6	16:02	8.8	20:22	6.3
29 ..	1:51	8.5	9:38	1.8	17:38	7.1	20:42	5.7
30 ..	2:08	8.7	10:18	1.3	18:33	7.4	20:48	7.3

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian West. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock at any tide, add 18.8 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees drydock add 30 feet to the height of high water as given above.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

APRIL, 1930

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1930.

Date	Rises	Sets
1	8:51 a.m.	0:55 p.m.
2	7:14 a.m.	11:14 p.m.
3	7:45 a.m.	.....
4	8:35 a.m.	0:31 a.m.
5	9:15 a.m.	1:42 a.m.
6	10:25 a.m.	3:41 a.m.
(First Quarter on 8th)		
7	11:47 a.m.	3:26 a.m.
8	1:11 p.m.	4:01 a.m.
9	2:38 p.m.	4:37 a.m.
10	3:58 p.m.	4:48 a.m.
11	5:18 p.m.	5:06 a.m.
12	6:37 p.m.	5:32 a.m.
13	7:54 p.m.	6:41 a.m.
(Full Moon on 13th)		
14	9:14 p.m.	8:01 a.m.
15	10:30 p.m.	8:24 a.m.
16	11:42 p.m.	8:54 a.m.
17	.....	7:30 a.m.
18	0:45 a.m.	8:16 a.m.
19	1:38 a.m.	9:11 a.m.
20	2:18 a.m.	10:14 a.m.
(Last Quarter on 20th)		
21	2:50 a.m.	11:23 a.m.
22	3:18 a.m.	12:30 p.m.
23	3:38 a.m.	1:39 p.m.
24	3:53 a.m.	2:48 p.m.
25	4:08 a.m.	3:57 p.m.
26	4:22 a.m.	5:06 p.m.
27	4:39 a.m.	6:22 p.m.
28	4:58 a.m.	7:38 p.m.
29	5:22 a.m.	8:53 p.m.
30	5:55 a.m.	10:08 p.m.
(New Moon on 28th)		
28	8:18 a.m.	8:55 p.m.
30	8:48 a.m.	10:18 p.m.

Note—These times are correct to within one or two minutes. The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

APRIL, 1930

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1930.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	5:54	8:40	16	5:20	7:05
2	5:52	8:43	17	5:18	7:06
3	5:48	8:44	18	5:15	7:08
4	5:47	8:46	19	5:14	7:09
5	5:44	8:48	20	5:12	7:10
6	5:42	8:50	21	5:11	7:12
7	5:39	8:51	22	5:09	7:13
8	5:37	8:53	23	5:08	7:14
9	5:35	8:54	24	5:06	7:15
10	5:33	8:55	25	5:04	7:17
11	5:31	8:56	26	5:03	7:18
12	5:29	8:59	27	5:01	7:20
13	5:27	7:00	28	5:00	7:21
14	5:24	7:02	29	4:58	7:22
15	5:22	7:03	30	4:57	7:24

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"Democracy is not the rule of the people—much less the rule of the best—but the rule of money."—Will Durant.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist, April 3, 1880)

Excavations are being made at Nanaimo for a new hotel, to be erected by Mr. J. Webb, next to the Masonic Hall.

Mr. Andrew Onderdonk, contractor for the Yale-Savona railway (who is accompanied by his wife and family) arrived by the steamship Dakota and has taken rooms at the Driard House. Mr Onderdonk is from New York City, and is contractor for the seawall at San Francisco. His section consists of 127 miles of road, entailing an expenditure of upwards of $2,000,000. Between 3,000 and 4,000 men will be employed on construction of the B.C. end of the line.

Hon. J. W. Trutch and Mrs. Trutch have arrived here from Ottawa. They were warmly welcomed.

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MISSIONARIES SAFE

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The National Catholic Welfare Conference has informed the State Department that members of the American Catholic Mission at Kanchow, China, who were last week reported in danger from Chinese brigands, are safe.

Cadboro Bay Boy Gains High Honor With His Heifer

CALGARY, Alta., April 2.—Alberta Model, eleven-month-old pure-bred Shorthorn heifer, brought from Cadboro Bay, British Columbia, by her youthful owner, Murray Turner, was declared the grand champion baby beef entry at the Spring show yesterday afternoon, following judging of girls' and boys' heifer and steer classes.

WOUNDS FATAL

YAZOO CITY, Miss., April 2.—Frank Bridsall, editor of the Yazoo Sentinel and a member of the State Tax Commission, died early today of bullet wounds inflicted yesterday by Mayor J. T. Stickin, who committed suicide soon after the shooting.

FRUIT FOUND INFECTED WITH CODLING MOTH

Carload of Apples and Half Carloa dof Pears From Australia Tainted

"HEALTHY SUPPLY ALREADY IN B.C."

A carload of apples and half a carload of pears, which were shipped from Australia to a broker in Vancouver, were found to be badly infected by coddling moths on their arrival in the Terminal City on the Canadian-Australasian liner Aorangi, officials of the Department of Agriculture have been advised at the Parliament Buildings here.

It has been necessary to repack all the shipment, and the fruit showing infection has had to be destroyed, the boxes fumigated and the papers burned.

Mr. W. H. Robertson, provincial horticulturist, when questioned concerning the incident yesterday, said that he saw no necessity for importing Australian apples into British Columbia at the present time.

"There is a healthy supply of British Columbia-grown apples in the province right now, no less than sixty cars, containg a total of 43,000 boxes of fruit, being at present in storage in the Okanagan," he declared.

The provincial horticulturalist remarked that the Government was spending approximately $20,000 annually in fighting the codling moth menace in the interior of the province, and the growers were also expending considerable sums in sprays for that work.

Mr. Robertson observed that Australia would not permit the entry of Canadian or United States apples into that country, because it claimed that owing to the prevalence of fire blight in Canada and America, apples shipped into Australia might be infected with this disease.

"As we are barred from exporting apples to Australia, one would think that at least we would be given preference in the Australian market with our onions. But such is not the case. Australia has increased the duty on our onions entering that country from $30 to $40 per ton. I might say that some of our growers in the Okanagan have realized only $15 a ton on the onions they have produced," he stated.

RUM-RUNNER SEIZED

BOSTON, April 2.—The British two-masted schooner Aramos, with 800 cases of liquor aboard, was seized off the coast of Maine, by a coast-guard patrol boat today, Thomas F. Finnegan, in charge of the customs enforcement squad here, announced.

Executive Clemency Asked

GOVERNOR Roosevelt of New York at his desk, which has been flooded with petitions begging clemency for Ruth St. Clair, the woman shoplifter who is serving a life sentence in Auburn Prison under the Baumes law.

Obituary

SHERET—The funeral of William Sheret took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Thomson & Fetterly Funeral Home, Rev. J. S. Patterson officiating. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park. The casket was covered with many beautiful flowers, and the hymns sung were "Abide With Me" and "Rock of Ages." Many friends were in attendance, and the pallbearers were Messrs. Peter Burns, James McHatti, Archibald Campbell, Hugh Leitch, Donald Campbell and Ean Burns.

COWAN—The funeral of Miss Elizabeth Ruth Cowan, who passed away last Sunday in this city, took place yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the Sands' Funeral Chapel. Many friends were in attendance and beautiful flowers covered the casket and floral racks at the chapel. Rev. F. A. Ramsey officiated and the hymn sung was "Lead, Kindly Light." Messrs. A. C. Lennox, L. G. Scott, A. T. Hunker and J. W. Harkness acted as pallbearers and the remains were laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

BAXTER—The funeral service for Dorothy Elaine, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Baxter, took place on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the family residence, 510 Admirals Road. Relatives and a number of friends were in attendance and there were many beautiful flowers. Rev. J. S. Patterson officiated and the remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

EVANS—Relatives and a very large gathering of sympathizing friends attended the funeral service on Tuesday afternoon at the Sands' Funeral Chapel over the remains of Mrs. Ida Madeline Evans, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital last Thursday. Rev. Arthur de B. Owen officiated, and the hymns sung were "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "Lead, Kindly Light." Messrs. J. L. Mason, J. F. Jameson, J. Baxter, W. E. Gurney, R. Thomas and J. C. Williams acted as pallbearers and the remains were laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

HUTCHINSON — The funeral service for Gloria Hutchinson, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch G. Hutchinson, of 411 Mary Street, took place Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. H. V. Vincent officiated and the remains were laid at rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GIBBS—The funeral of Ronald Jack Gibbs, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Gibbs, of 337 Robertson Street, took place yesterday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, Rev. A. G. E. Munson officiating. Many friends attended and the casket was banked in the chapel with many beautiful flowers. Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

GOULD — A large number of friends attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Selina Gould, which took place on Wednesday afternoon from St. Stephen's Church, Mt. Newton Crossroad. Rev. J. S. A. Bastin conducted the service, during which the hymns "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me" were sung, Mrs. Bastin presiding at the organ. Interment was made in the churchyard, with the following as pallbearers: Mr. A. J. Pierce, Captain Bissett, Captain Nat Gray, Messrs. W. H. Thomas, S. G. Stoddart and W. H. Rowbotham.

HALPIN—The remains of Mrs. Susan Halpin, who passed away on March 30, in Tacoma, were laid at rest in Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday morning, the funeral taking place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 9 o'clock, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where mass was celebrated at 9.15, Rev. Father Evans officiating. A very large number of friends were present and the casket was covered with beautiful floral offerings. The pallbearers were Messrs. John O'Hagan, Charles McGregor, Thomas Halpin, Joseph Drennan, L. A. Marston and W. G. King.

WIDDICOMBE—The funeral of Mrs. Alice Mary Frances Widdicombe took place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon at 1:40 o'clock, proceeding to St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, where service was held by Rev. Canon Nunns and Rev. A. de B. Owen at 2 o'clock, in the presence of many friends. The casket was covered with beautiful flowers, and the pallbearers were Dr. Lewis Hall and Messrs. L. W. Vaughan, Brooke Stephenson and James Smith. The remains were laid at rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

New Dwellings

Permits for new buildings, and especially dwellings, continue to be in demand. The latest, issued yesterday by Inspector Barl, is for a house, to be erected by Mr. M. E. McCabe at 943 Collinson Street at an estimated cost of about $3,000.

MANY ATTEND TREE PLANTING

MRS. MARY ANN VINE, METCHOSIN PIONEER, HONORED YESTERDAY

Historic Interest Attached to Event Attracts People From All Over District

One of the first tree-planting ceremonies in honor of a Vancouver Island pioneer took place yesterday afternoon at the old Vine homestead, Metchosin, at present the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fergus Reid. The novelty and historic interest of the occasion brought a large gathering from all parts of the surrounding country, and among the city visitors were Mr. John Hosie, provincial archivist; Mr. Foulkes, of the Provincial Department of Agriculture; and Mrs. J. D. Gordon, president of the Provincial Women's Institute.

Mrs. Mary Ann Vine, the pioneer whose memory was honored by the planting of a crimson hawthorn tree, the gift of Mrs. Savory, came to Vancouver Island round the Horn on the old Norman Morrison, and her residence in the Metchosin district has close links with the present day in numerous descendants living in the community. Two great-great grandsons (sons of Mr. Herbert Parker), actually planted the tree, and during the process it was held by Mr. Thomas Parker, a grandson by marriage. Four granddaughters and four great-great-great grandsons of Mrs. Vine were at the ceremony also.

The hawthorn was planted near a magnificent maple which was planted as a sapling by Mrs. Vine.

Mrs. M. E. Vicker, president of the Metchosin Women's Institute, took a leading part in the proceedings by reading a paper which gave a detailed history of Mrs. Vine, to whom she paid a glowing tribute as a pioneer woman who left the impress of her character and life of usefulness on the whole community.

Invite City Members

The committee appointed by the City Council in connection with the obtaining of grants from the Provincial Government, as contributions to the beautifying of the Capital City, met yesterday and decided to invite the city members of the Legislature to a conference to be held next Tuesday.

"VICAR OF WAKEFIELD" LOST

Disappearance of two volumes of Oliver Goldsmith's "Vicar of Wakefield," valued at $5,000, from the library of Elsham Hall, near Brigg, England, has just been discovered during an inventory. Elsham Hall was formerly the family home of Sir Francis Astley-Corbett, and the books had been in the family since 1766.

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FARMERS SATISFIED WITH WHEAT POOL

Returning from a holiday spent in California, Mr. Donald G. Konantz, of the North American Lumber & Supply Company, of Winnipeg, arrived in Victoria yesterday, and will remain in the city for several days.

At the Empress Hotel shortly after his arrival, Mr. Konantz, discussing the present business depression throughout the country, stated that, while the stock market might be to some extent responsible, it was generally appreciated that the prices of all commodities were below cost of production; a condition, Mr. Konantz pointed out, which could not continue without precipitating disastrous results. "Production must be on a profitable basis to give prosperity to the country, and commodity prices must be sufficient to give the producer a fair margin of profit before conditions are better."

Mr. Konantz' company has been operating on the Prairies for twenty years, and has 22,000 farm accounts; and, as a result, being in close touch with the farmers, he can speak with authority of conditions on the Prairies. The farmers, stated Mr. Konantz, were well satisfied with the manner in which the Wheat Pool was handling their affairs. The coming year would be the real test of the pool. It is the only co-operative effort of its kind in the world, and it is a model that other large wheat producing countries have contemplated copying. "If they can operate the pool as well as they organized it, they are pretty good at the business," concluded Mr. Konantz.

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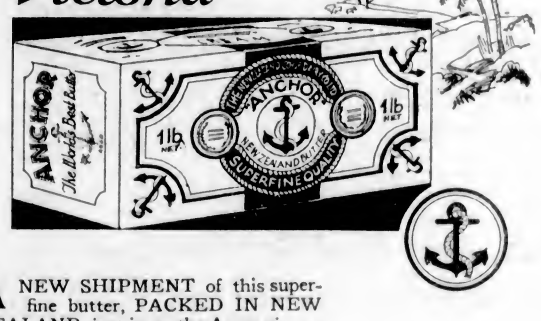

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Though the private person, as he spends his income, seldom reflects on the matter, the character of his spending is helping to decide who shall and who shall not be employed in Canadian industry.

Our conduct ought to be such as to minimize hardship and distress through unemployment. Every reasonable expenditure should be undertaken now by everyone. All possible avenues for business should be energetically explored by the employer. Where possible, the products of Canadian farms and factories should be preferred.

If each individual Canadian will set his shoulder to the wheel—wisely spend, wisely plan and work—the patch now dimming the sun of our prosperity will be the more rapidly dispelled.

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An interesting address on "The League of Nations" will be given by Captain Walter Brown in St. Mark's Parish Hall, Tennyson Road, tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. It is under the auspices of the A.Y.P.A., and as Captain Brown is a fluent speaker he will treat his subject in a way that his audience is sure to appreciate.

SCHOOL BY-LAW FOR NEXT YEAR SAANICH PLAN

Meeting at Marigold Hall Last Evening Critical of School Board and Its Policy

LONE BOARD MEMBER INVITES QUESTIONS

Trustee Briggs, of the Saanich School Board, told a meeting of Ward Four ratepayers at the Women's Institute Hall, Marigold, last night that it was the intention of the board to hold a plebiscite at the next municipal election for the choice of a site for the proposed Saanich high school, and at the same time to request the council to submit a by-law for the necessary money to cover the cost of its erection and furnishing. The board had no alternative, Mr. Briggs stated, but to withdraw at the present time, as the members were convinced the people were not ready for the high school. The pupils would be taken care of in the meantime.

A letter from the secretary of the school board to Mr. F. F. Beckett, secretary of Ward Four Ratepayers' Association, which was read at the meeting, gave the members present the opportunity to voice their opinions regarding high school matters and to ask Trustee Briggs certain questions, as well as to criticize the attitude of the school board towards the Victoria Municipal Festival. The letter referred to notified the association that the board had withdrawn its request to the municipal council for the submission of a by-law to raise money for the building of a high school, and that the matter had now been deferred for consideration at some future time.

The delegates to the meeting of the Central Association reported what had transpired at the Royal Oak meeting, Mr. Beckett stating that the questions asked regarding school matters had then been satisfactorily replied to by Trustee Briggs. As the board was not agreed on a site, a committee, consisting of Messrs. Peters, Francis, Lynn and Swayle, had been appointed to wait on the council and request a plebiscite on the choice of one of four sites.

"BARRED EVERYBODY"

Mr. W. J. Lynn told of the interview of this committee with a joint meeting of the council and the school board, when the letter from the municipal solicitor stating that a plebiscite would be illegal at the time, was read. The council had gone into committee on the matter and the delegates, with the press representatives, were asked to withdraw. He understood the council had promised to do everything in its power to furtner the high school matter. He had heard nothing more until he read in the papers that there was to be no high school this year. Mr. Lynn also recalled that the association had received last year certain communications at different times from the school board, in which it was clearly stated that the meetings of the board were at all times open to the ratepayers. It seemed to be different this year. The board barred everybody, even the newspapermen. If a ratepayer attends a meeting now and asks for information, the board goes into committee. Personally, he was satisfied that the school matter had turned out as it did. The onus for the situation was on the board, and they placed it there by their own actions.

At this point Trustee Briggs stated that he would willingly answer any questions asked him. Mr. Lynn thought it would not be fair to ask Mr. Briggs any questions after the ultimatum of the board through its secretary, to the effect that no further information was to be divulged.

Mrs. Beckett complimented Mr. Briggs for the manner in which he appeared willing to take the brunt of the discussions, and agreed with Mr. Lynn that it was not fair to ply the trustee with questions under the circumstances.

Mr. A. E. Nix moved a resolution "That the association resents the attitude of Trustee Tomes in making the assertion appearing in the press to the effect that 'the public knew too much already,' and that the matter be referred to the central association for discussion." This motion was endorsed.

THE MUSICAL FESTIVAL

Under the head of general business, it was requested that the letter of Mr. H. A. Beckwith, appearing in local papers, with reference to the attitude of the Saanich School Board to the Victoria Musical Festival, be read and considered. The consensus of opinion voiced by the meeting was that it was a shame the Saanich school children, having done so well in 1929, should now be deprived of the opportunity of competing against the schools of other districts and of being judged by competent adjudicators. Mr. Lynn held that the competitions being held during the present month in the Saanich schools were a waste of time. They would be a failure, he stated, and the district had lost a splendid opportunity to show its ability musically. Mr. Nix said it was a case of spite, where a member of last year's board dominated the present board members. Mrs. Beckett, in referring to the poor reason given, that it would interfere with study, stated that Victoria pupils were rated high academically and still took part in the festival. The decision was a disgrace, she said, and another case where the ratepayers knew too little of what was going on. Had they known the attitude of the board in time, Saanich schools would be competing. The chairman, Mr. J. Warnock, also concurred, saying it was a shame the children of the municipality were debarred from the competitions.

Discussing the reduction of the mill rate, Mr. Lynn thought that it would have been better not to have made the reduction. Had it been maintained, the amount derived from the two mills would have been applied to the building of a high school next year on the pay-as-you-go plan.

Talented Pianist Dies in New York

MR. GEORGE BLAIR NEALE

Talented young Canadian pianist, who died in New York City. For some time past he was accompanist to Mr. Edward Johnson, the noted Canadian tenor, and was also known for his solo performances throughout the United States.

CHAPTER CHOOSES WEDDING PRESENT

As a wedding gift to Miss Helen Mackenzie, the Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., has chosen a beautiful silver rectangular biscuit box on a stand with four-ball feet, the front of the box bearing the badge of the order in enamel, surrounded by the following inscription: "Presented to Miss Helen Mackenzie by the Provincial Chapter of British Columbia, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, April 1930." A handsome silver cigarette box with the order's badge and similar inscription on the lid is the accompanying gift. These were on view yesterday in the windows of the maker, W. M. Carmichael, silversmith, 1023 Fort Street.

Announcements

Miss Hanman is prepared to take infinite pains to achieve success for any woman who is in earnest and cares—but she just does not want indifferent slack "cases." The work is too difficult, too responsible. 503 Sayward Bldg.

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Victoria Sea Cadets will be inspected by His Excellency the Governor-General, accompanied by Lady Willingdon, in the Drill Hall, Menzies Street, sharp at 7 p.m. on Friday, April 4. Cordial invitation extended to all interested.

Your Wedding requires the best in printing for your announcements, invitations, etc. Let us show you samples of our work at reasonable prices. The Colonist Job Printing Department. Phone 197.

Dr. Vernon B. Taylor, Osteopathic Physician, begs to announce the removal of his offices from Pemberton Building to 406-407-408 Belmont Building. Phone 2864.

Victoria Studio of Dancing, under management of Jose Farrington, has moved to 635½ Fort Street. Classes and private lessons for social and ballet dancing.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Friday, April 4, at 4 p.m. Tea in honor of Her Excellency Lady Willingdon. Soloist, Miss Merle North.

Dr. Gordon C. Kenning and Dr. Stuart G. Kenning are now located in their new consulting rooms, 402, 403, 404, 405 and 406 Pemberton Building, 625 Fort Street.

"Creating a Winning Personality." Free lecture lesson tonight at 8 o'clock, Professor Mobius, Conservative Hall, 1029 Douglas Street. All welcome.

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Dr. McPherson is now located in the Pemberton Bldg., fourth floor.

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City & District

Roof Fire—A roof fire at 1716 Fort Street at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon gave the Victoria Fire Department a run. Damage was small.

Mill Bay Ferry—Tenders for the reconstruction of the Mill Bay ferry landing at Brentwood Bay will be called for this week by the Provincial Department of Public Works. The work will be rushed on account of the approach of the tourist season, and it is anticipated that the project will be completed by the middle of May.

Canadian Pensioners' Association—The Canadian Pensioners' Association has decided to write returned soldiers in Dawson, Keno, Mayo and White Horse, Yukon Territory, with regard to the formation of a branch of the association in that territory. Mr. T. Lawson, who comes from that section, will assist in the work. The directors have held a special meeting to deal with the report of Major C. G. Power, issued on Tuesday, with regard to pensions.

Kresge Subtrades Awarded — In addition to the subcontract for stonework to John Mortimer & Sons, let by Smith Brothers & Wilson, Limited, the general contractors for the S. S. Kresge block, Fort and Douglas Streets, the Vancouver Art Metal Works have received the contract for ornamental and miscellaneous ironwork; Mellor Brothers for plate glass, painting and decorating, and George E. Slater, Vancouver, for plastering.

Provincial Tenders—Next Wednesday, at 12 noon, is the final time when the Provincial Department of Public Works will receive tenders for the building of a ferry to replace the old one which operates between Needles and Farquier, on the Lower Arrow Lake. The new craft will be capable of carrying ten cars. Tenders for the erection of a school at Edgewater, in the Columbia electoral district, must be in the hands of the department by noon on Monday, April 14.

Visit to Red Cross Workshops—At the Red Cross workshops yesterday Major Stanley Okell entertained a party of visitors from Toc H, who were shown over the carpentry and machinery rooms and sheet metal shop, and saw where and how the Armistice Day poppies are made locally to supply all British Columbia. The party consisted of General Sir Percy Lake, Mr. C. K. Morison (secretary), Mr. F. H. Crowhurst (jobmaster), Major F. V. Longstaff, and Messrs. Hew Paterson, William Crouch and others.

Tonight, at the Conservative Hall, 1029 Douglas Street, Professor Mobius will present a free lecture-lesson on the fascinating subject, "Creating a Winning Personality." The general public is cordially invited.

Members Warned To Prepare for Next Elections

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, April 2.—The question of a general election was discussed at today's caucus of the Liberal party.

While no official statement was issued at the conclusion of the meeting, it is understood Premier Mackenzie King stated that he was no more decided whether to hold an election this year or in 1931 than he was three months ago. But, at the same time, it is said the Prime Minister warned members they should begin preparations and continue to make preparations.

The views of a number of private members were expressed, and it is understood that in the course of this discussion a suggestion was made that August 25 next might poesibly be the date for an election.

Deputation Will Wait on Cabinet On Trade Treaty

VANCOUVER, April 2.—To urge upon the Dominion Government the retention and expansion of the Canadian-Australian treaty, a delegation representing the British Columbia division of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, will leave here tomorrow night for Ottawa.

Mr. J. H. McDonald will head the delegation, which includes Messrs. J. G. Robson, L. S. Andrews, Richard Bell-Irving and Hugh Dalton. An appointment for Tuesday of next week, in the capital, with a Cabinet committee consisting of Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King, Hon. C. A. Dunning, Hon. James Malcolm and Hon. W. D. Euler, has been arranged.

MOVE TO REPEAL

BOSTON, Mass., April 2.—The Massachusetts Senate today refused to enact the initiative petition to repeal the State Prohibition Enforcement Act. The roll call vote was twenty-six to eleven. This action, duplicating that taken by the House of Representatives yesterday, kills the bill in the Legislature. Its sponsors must now have 5,000 more signatures to have it placed on the ballots next November.

DANCE FOR SOLARIUM

The South Saanich Junior Institute will hold its annual dance in aid of the Solarium in the Keating Temperance Hall tomorrow evening, from 9 to 1 o'clock. It will take the form of an "April Fool" dance, and many surprises and novelty dances have been planned. A three-piece orchestra will be in attendance, and refreshments will be served.

BAN STUDENTS' PARTIES

TORONTO, Ont., April 2.—Because the parties were said to be "not entirely decorous affairs," benchers of the Law Society have passed a resolution banning "forever" the "at home" or annual dance sponsored by students of Osgoode Hall Law School here.

SPORTSMAN IS DEAD

WINNIPEG, April 2.—Mr. William I. Elder, prominent Western sportsman and director of the Provincial Exhibition, Brandon, died at the home of a son here today. Born at Woodbridge, Ont., Mr. Elder came West twenty-eight years ago, and had been a resident of Brandon for many years.

REGINA VISITOR SERIOUSLY ILL

Archdeacon Davidson Is in Hospital Here, Following Seizure—Came to City in Search of Health

Ven. Gilbert Farquhar Davidson, Archdeacon of Regina, is critically ill at St. Joseph's Hospital, where he was removed following a seizure early yesterday morning.

The archdeacon, who is fifty-nine years of age, is rector of St. Paul's, Regina. He came to Victoria about two months ago to convalesce from a serious illness. He spoke to one luncheon meeting, being a well-known member of the Kiwanis Club. On previous occasions that he has visited here, he has been a speaker at service club and church gatherings.

Mr. Davidson was vicar of St. George's, Guelph, 1901-1906, and rector, 1907-1918. From 1911 to 1918 he was Archbishop of Wellington and Halton, and on coming West was Canon of the Diocese of Qu'Appelle, 1919. In that year he became Rural Dean of Regina, and in 1922, Archdeacon of Regina. He recently returned from a trip to the Old Country, where he addressed a number of clubs in International Rotary.

Australia Wants Empire Meetings Of Trade Bodies

(Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's)

ADELAIDE, Australia, April 2.—The conference of Australian Chambers of Commerce today decided to invite the Federation of Chambers of Commerce of the British Empire to hold its next conference in Australia in 1933.

The British Empire Chambers are holding their triennial gathering this year in London, England.

OIL WELL FIRE STILL BURNING

Great Efforts Being Made to Save District From Possibility of Disastrous Spread

(Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., April 2.—A fire hazard zone in the extreme south end of the Oklahoma City oil field was established late today by Mr. C. R. O'Neal, state fire marshal, at the request of operating companies, who asserted the Mary Sudik No. 1 wild oil well of the Ilio-Foster companies, menaced the entire field.

Mr. O'Neal notified all companies in that part of the field to shut down, the order becoming effective immediately. All roads into that part of the field will be closed, with special officers instructed to halt all persons other than those holding permits or on company business.

An effort will be made tomorrow to place a special "bonnet" or control head on the well by the engineers. The head weighs 3,000 pounds and was completed today. It will be placed over the top of the casing and anchored in place. It is fitted with valves so that pipe lines can be connected when the blow is brought under control.

The well has been flowing wild and spraying miles of countryside with its oil since last Wednesday morning. As the first week of the well's flow passed, it continued to spurt a golden stream of oil and gas into the air valued at approximately $50,000 a day. Much of the oil is being recovered from pits around the well.

MISSIONARIES ARE HELD FOR RANSOM

(Associated Press)

HANKOW, April 2.—Miss Nina Gemmell, a missionary worker, formerly of Tacoma, Wash., and Girard, Kan., and Rev. and Mrs. Hew Porteous, British missionaries, all of whom were captured last Thursday when bandits raided the city of Yuanchow, are being held for ransoms of $20,000 each (Mexican).

Where the abducted missionaries are being held is not known here. Three other missionary workers, who escaped from Yuanchow, are believed to be hiding in East Changsha, Hunan Province.

JAPANESE SEAMAN FOUND NOT GUILTY

VANCOUVER, B.C., April 2.—Kizo Furusawa, Japanese ship's oiler, was tonight found not guilty of the murder of Iwao Akasawa, storekeeper of the freighter Ryujin Maru, who was shot and killed aboard the vessel while it was in port here on January 30. The verdict "Not guilty" was returned by a jury at the Spring Assizes after deliberating for almost five hours. It was Furusawa's second trial, the jury having disagreed at the first one after one hour's deliberation.

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Country Savings Banks Subjected To Inspection

QUEBEC, P.Q., April 2. — Rural savings banks, incorporated under co-operative legislation in the Province of Quebec, will be subjected to governmental inspection under legislation which Premier Taschereau put through the Legislative Assembly yesterday. There will be no compulsion, but any twenty-five members of the co-operative or any federation with which the bank is affiliated, may ask for inspection.

PACIFIC ACTION TAKEN IN SAMOA

APIA, Western Samoa, April 2.—In an effort to pacify natives who for several years have opposed New Zealand's administration of the islands, Administrator S. S. Allen today summoned Samoan representatives to meet at Mulinu shortly to discuss affairs at Samoa.

The chiefs of each district are to choose representatives.

GIVE RECEPTIONS TO ADMIRAL BYRD

DUNEDIN, N.Z., April 2.—Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd and party will leave Dunedin for Wellington on Monday, news having arrived that accommodations are available on the steamship Rangitiki sailing from Wellington on April 24.

The rear admiral will leave for Christchurch, where he will receive a civic reception before embarking for Wellington, at which place he will arrive Tuesday morning. Another civic reception will be given him there that evening.

Attention Goes From Hose to Trousers

PARIS, April 2.—Wimbledon's tennis rule committee, which insisted on women wearing stockings in last year's tournament, may have to deal with the trouser problem this season.

European women, judging from the Summer sport styles shown in exclusive houses, definitely approve of tennis trousers. The common version is ankle length cotton pique trousers worn with a sleeveless, and sometimes backless, jersey or vest.

A fashionable house which dresses many women of the smart Riviera set, sponsors tennis dresses made of flowered wash silks with divided skirts which reach four inches below the knees.

The other day a London restaurant announced on its menu a new fish, exclusive to the Lake Geneva.

The police are instituting inquiries to find out who is missing from the League of Nations. — Daily Express.

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Women's Work and Institutes

DEBATE ISSUE OF INSTALLMENT PLAN

Young People of First United Church Have Interesting Entertainment

The First United Young People turned out in large numbers on Monday night to hear the semi-final debate between the Misses M. Hay and M. Innes, of the Axioms, and Charles Trotter and Richard Holmes, of the Eagles. The subject for dispute, "Resolved that buying by the installment plan is beneficial," proved interesting, humorous and instructive. The judges, Miss I. Mitchell, Mr. J. M. Patterson and Robert Wallace, gave the decision to the affirmative, represented by the Axioms. In presenting the decision, Mr. Patterson congratulated both teams on the presentation of their material.

A pleasing variety to the programme was the rendering of two vocal selections by Mrs. Macdonnell and a group of clarinet solos by Jack Easton. John Gough, who presided, extended the thanks of the society to the judges and the artists of the evening.

Following the devotional period, Dr. Wilson spoke briefly on "The Duties of the Session," the second talk of the series, "Know Your Church."

Rev. Bruce Gray paid a tribute to the members of the Y.P. executive for the splendid way it had carried on and the fine spirit of co-operation.

William Erith, of the tennis committee, reported that the plans for the erection of the tennis courts on Caledonia Avenue and Cook Street were under way. On Saturday afternoon and the following Wednesday the Young People will hold a building bee. The official opening is scheduled for April 22.

The announcement of the final debate, to be held on Monday, April 14, aroused great interest among the young people. The Pas-a-Pas and the Axioms will compete for the silver trophy, their subject for debate being "Resolved That Missions and the Ministry Offer Greater Scope for Service Than Business and the Professions."

Next Monday night will be "Surprise Night." The committee in charge is busy making plans and a record crowd is expected.

Great interest is being evinced in the Young People's Conference, to be held in Duncan on Good Friday. The First United Y.P. will send a large delegation.

The Y. P. Council is making arrangements for a grand banquet to be held on Friday, May 9, in the Metropolitan Church, to which all the United Y.P. Societies of the city and district will be invited.

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Clubs and Societies

United Church Guild

A well attended meeting of the Women's Guild of the First United Church, presided over by the president, Mrs. A. S. Christie, was held in the church hall on Monday afternoon, when final arrangements were made for a rummage sale to be held on April 9, with Mrs. D. Fair as general convener. The treasurer, Mrs. Clifford, reported a satisfactory amount received from the primrose tea held at the residence of Mrs. D. D. Smith, Wellington Street, in March. The president reminded the ladies that a large Afghan was being donated by the guild to the Nurses' Home, and a large new quilt was being donated to the Solarium. Mrs. J. T. McDonald told of visiting a number of sick people of the church in the different hospitals and finding these visits were much appreciated. Miss Rennie was thanked for continuing the beautiful pulpit floral decorations each Sunday. Miss MacCallan and Mrs. Clifford were thanked for again being hostesses for serving tea and refreshments at the close of the meeting.

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Queen of Island Lodge

The following members of Queen of the Island L.O.B.A., 209, met at the home of the worthy mistress, Mrs. Keating, 2101 Chambers Street, on Monday: Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Mee, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Ashworth, Mrs. Gilders, Mrs. Doherty, Mrs. Drysdale, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Milligan, Mrs. Robinson and Mr. Robinson were present. After enjoying a game of five hundred, Mrs. Keating, on behalf of the lodge, presented Mr. James McClements with a handsome set of brushes as a token of esteem and appreciation.

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Veterans' Auxiliary

An enjoyable tea was held by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Army and Navy Veterans at the home of Mrs. Young, Chapman Street, yestedray afternoon in honor of Mrs. D. Ruddock, past president. During the tea hour a presentation of a silver basket was made to Mrs. Ruddock by Mrs. Weeks. Among those present were Mesdames D. Ruddock, Alcock, Weeks, Bengough, Moodie, Randall, Lane, Walters, Young and Shrimpton.

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King's Daughters

The Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters will hold its monthly and annual meetings in the rest room tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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Junior Ladies' Musical Club

The monthly meeting of the Junior Ladies' Musical Club has been postponed from tomorrow to Friday, April 11, at the home of Mrs. W. G. Wilson, 777 Pemberton Road, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

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Dames of Thistle

The Dames of the Thistle will hold a silver tea at the home of Mrs. Davie, Myrtle Street, this evening.

TODAY'S RECIPE

COCOANUT Chocolate Frosting—Yolks of 2 eggs, 1½ cupfuls of sugar, ½ cupful of milk, few grains of salt, 1 tablespoonful of butter, 4 squares of chocolate, 1 teaspoonful of vanilla, ½ cupful of shredded cocoanut. Beat yolks very light, adding sugar gradually. Add butter and milk. Cook over flame, stirring constantly until it boils, and boil for about one minute. Take from fire. Add chocolate and cocoanut and vanilla and beat until creamy and ready to use.

Aged Women's Home

The regular monthly meeting of the committee was held at the Aged Women's Home on Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, Mrs. Clay, the president, occupying the chair. Members present included Mesdames Gould, Grant, Vincent, Heddle, H. Grant, Sabiston, Whittier, and Miss O'Brien.

The secretary reported that all the rooms are filled and several applications are on the waiting list.

The general health of the inmates was as good as could be expected. House cleaning and renovating was going on and the home would soon be in first-class condition.

The committee for the month included Mesdames Sabiston, Gould and Clay.

Donations were as follows: Magazines, Mrs. Wollaston, Mrs. P. Hayman, Mrs. Bennett, Miss Renny and A Friend; flowers, Mrs. Hawkes and Pollock Bros.; clothing, Mrs. Adamson; concert and refreshments, Daughters of St. George Auxiliary; matinee at the Royal Victoria Theatre for twenty-five inmates by the kindness of the McLeod Players and Mr. Joe North.

Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

STRAWBERRY VALE

The monthly meeting of Strawberry Vale Women's Institute was held on Tuesday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. Foster, occupying the chair, and a good attendance of members.

An interesting event has been planned in the giving of a dinner, cooked entirely by the new "waterless" cooking method, which will take place at the Institute Hall at at early date.

Dr. Wace sent a letter explaining the position of the institutes and their obligations to support a child whom they may wish to send to the Solarium. "Any institute in B.C. may recommend a child to the Solarium without incurring any financial obligations whatsoever. It has never been the policy of the directors to ask for assistance either in the direct case, or in the form of annual donations other than the institutes feel they can give of their own accord." Dr. Wace also expressed the wish that members of the institutes would look for, and advise him of any crippled child requiring help.

A generous-sized packet of antirrhinum seed grown at the Experimental Farm, Sidney, was received for distribution among the members.

At the conclusion of the business, Miss Snyder gave an interesting talk on the work of the Social Service League, showing how sometimes change of environment has worked wonders in altering the habits and propensities of children, and that in some cases, the quality of the help given is not always material, but a sympathetic understanding, and guidance in their affairs. Miss Snyder also spoke of the physical benefit derived by the children and their mothers at the Sunshine Camp, and of the grateful appreciation shown by those who have been fortunate enough to spend a much-needed holiday there.

Miss Snyder and Miss Checkerly were entertained to tea by the members, and a hearty vote of thanks were given the speaker. Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Austin and Mrs. Humphries served delicious refreshments, and a pleasant social half-hour was enjoyed.

The last card party of the season will be held at the Institute Hall on Monday, April 7, at 8 o'clock.

VICTORIA

The April meeting of the Victoria Women's Institute will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Institute rooms, Union Building. The making of crepe paper novelties will be demonstrated at 2:45 o'clock and the following will act as hostesses: Mesdames Waite, Luton, Adam and Peden.

SOOKE

The Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute will hold its regular monthly meeting at Sooke Hall on Friday, April 4, at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. J. D. Gordon will give an address on Legislature.

LAKE HILL

The monthly meeting of Lake Hill Women's Institute was held on Tuesday afternoon with seventeen members and two visitors present. Mrs. Scott presided. Mrs. Booth, president of the district board, was the speaker for the afternoon and gave a talk on the various branches of institute work. It was decided to obtain a sack of seed potatoes for distribution among the members, and any member taking this seed must exhibit at the institute exhibition held in August. The resolution from Strawberry Vale Women's Institute re the employment of married women was endorsed. A donation of $3 was voted to the Tuberculous Veterans' Association, and the usual $3 to the Saanich Agricultural Assocation for the best made man's shirt was renewed. Two successful card parties were reported for March. Plans were made for a silver tea to be held in the hall on Wednesday, April 9, from 3 to 5 o'clock. Mrs. Scott has charge of the general arrangements and Mrs. Service will convene the programme. A cordial invitation is extended to neighboring institutes. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Sherritt and Mrs. Walton served tea.

Dress for Evening Wear

HERE is shown the latest in evening dresses for milady. The stylish bodice is close fitting, lapping over at the side to be caught at the waist. The long full skirt is the latest dictate of fashion and is very becoming on the dance floor.

"To outlaw a country is not to make it amenable to world opinion, but the opposite."—J. Ramsay MacDonald.

Senator's Daughter to Wed Aide-de-Camp

OTTAWA, April 2.—The engagement of Marjorie Isobel Forke, second daughter of Senator and Mrs. Robert Forke, to Mr. James Cattermole Berg, LL.B., aide-de-camp to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, has been announced here. Mr. Berg is the son of the late Mr. C. D. Berg and Mrs. Berg, of Winnipeg.

St. John's Scene of Quiet Wedding

In the presence of a small congregation, consisting of relatives and intimate friends of the contracting parties, Rev. Canon Chadwick read the impressive wedding service in St. John's Church at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, for Mary, only daughter of the late Mrs. F. M. Rattenbury and Mr. Eric Audley Burton, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Burton, of St. Charles Street, Victoria. Mr. G. Jennings Burnett was at the organ, and as the bride entered the church, with her brother, Mr. Frank B. Rattenbury, by whom she was given in marriage, the strains of the Wedding March from Lohengrin were played. She looked charming in a frock of delphinium blue crepe de Chine over which was worn a long flannel coat of the same shade and rich fox furs crossed in front. A stitched hat of georgette of delphinium blue and a corsage bouquet of tiny rosebuds and lilies of the valley and a diamond crescent pin completed the bridal toilette. The bride was unattended, and Mr. H. A. Tomalin supported the groom. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Burton left by the 4:30 boat for Seattle, the bride traveling in a smart sports ensemble of two shades of brown and a small close-fitting straw hat to match. After a short honeymoon in the Sound cities, they will make their home at 2480 McNeil Avenue, Oak Bay.

Students to Give Recital of Opera Scenes

Pupils of Mme. Eva Baird's vocal studio are engaged in the preparation of one of the most ambitious undertakings attempted here for several years. On Friday, April 30, the seventeen students will be seen at the Shrine Auditorium in a series of operatic scenes. Presented simply, but in strict conformity with tradition, the performance is intended to serve the triple purpose of an enjoyable entertainment for the audience, a valuable experience for the students and a benefit for the Victorian Order of Nurses, which is to receive the proceeds of the undertaking.

A vast amount of detail in connection with staging, orchestra and costuming is involved in the preparation of such an event. The orchestra will be under the leadership of Mr. Willett, who is well known on Vancouver Island through his associations with the Victoria orchestras and the Duncan orchestra. The dance which is being given in connection with the scene from "Aida" will be by pupils of the Russian Ballet School.

Other operas from which scenes will be given are "The Tales of Hoffman," "Tannhauser" and "Carmen." The duet and aria from "Madame Butterfly" will be sung also, and there will be a number of arias from other well-known operas.

Among those who will take part in the recital are Comtesse de Suzannet, Mrs. Sidney Oliver, Mrs. D. B. McConnan, Mrs. F. G. Aldous, Mrs. C. E. Wilson, Mrs. John Booth, Miss Bessie Richards, Miss Gladys Marchant, Miss Marian Kidd, Miss Beatrice Porter, Miss Violet Wilson, Miss Jennie Hall, Miss Ida Hare, Miss Mary Sinclair, Miss Lilian Gaulter, Mr. Sidney Chiverall and Captain Hunt.

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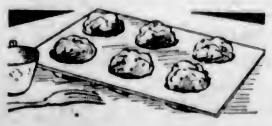
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Bridge Party at Club

A most successful and enjoyable bridge and mah jong party was held at the Alexandra Club last night, under the convenership of Mrs. C. H. Rutherford and Mrs. M. A. Stewart and members of the entertainment committee. Beautiful Spring greenery, Japonica and ribes were arranged in tall vases on both sides of the passage, and in the drawing-room and in the tea room tall graceful palms and bowls of daffodils were placed with charming effect. There were over twenty tables in play. Among those engaging tables and arranging parties for the affair were the president of the club, Mrs. W. R. McD. Parr, Miss Belson, the Misses Ferguson, Miss Doris Harper, Miss Crease, Mrs. D. Donald, Mrs. Mosher, Mrs. Wolley-Dod, Mrs. R. Tyhurst, Mrs. W. Wilson, Mrs. Schramli, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rutherford, Mrs. Tooley, Mrs. Angus Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Dawson, Mrs. Phethean, Mrs. R. P. Rithet, Mrs. J. O. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay, Miss Newton and Mrs. Weiler. The prizes were donated by Mrs. Angus Campbell and Mrs. Mosher. Supper was served by the committee at the end of the card games.

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Entertain Quartette

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baird, Laurel Lane, entertained at a small reception for the Hart House quartette following their concert here, among those invited being the four members of the quartette, viz., Mr. Geza de Kresz, Mr. Harry Adaskin, Mr. Milton Blackstone and Mr. Boris Hambourg; the Comte and Comtesse Jean de Suzannet, Dr. and Mrs. Leeder, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis, Major and Mrs. Alan Swinton, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. W. E. Nichol, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pinkerton, Mrs. D. B. McConnan, Mrs. D. C. Coleman, Miss Lynch, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. Cham, Miss Emily Carr, Miss Violet Wilson, Miss Kathleen Booth, Miss Irene Bick, Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn, Mme. Sanderson-Mongin, Mr. Stanley Bulley, Mr. Willet and Mr. E. McMullen. The supper table was very attractively arranged with a centrepiece of calla lilies and antique branched silver candelabra.

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Card Party and Dance

Mr. and Mrs. R. Tomlin entertained a number of their friends on March 29 at a most delightful card party and dance. The winners of the cards were: Ladies, Mrs. T. Scaife and Miss Rita Cottell; consolation, Mrs. W. Hoyle; gentlemen, Mr. W. Brown and Mr. W. Jenkins; consolation, Mr. Charlton Smith. The reception rooms were prettily decorated with Spring flowers in a color scheme of yellow and white. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. Movis, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cottell, Mr. and Mrs. P. Flamank, Mr. and Mrs. C. Smith, Mrs. Jessie Dinsley, Mr. and Mrs. W. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. W. Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. T. Scaife, Miss Rita Cottell, Miss Norma Hocking, Mr. Charlton Smith and Mr. W. Brown.

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Married Yesterday

The marriage took place at 9 o'clock yesterday morning at Christ Church Cathedral, Ven. Archdeacon Laycock officiating, when Ruth Mary, younger daughter of the late Captain F. P. Armstrong and Mrs. Armstrong, of Victoria, became the bride of Mr. George Frederick Horsey. The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Dr. J. N. Taylor, and both she and the groom were unattended. The bride wore a smart fur-trimmed fawn traveling coat and close-fitting straw hat to match, and a corsage bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. Following the service Mr. and Mrs. Horsey left on the Ss. Sol Duc en route to California by motor. After spending the Summer in the Windermere Valley they will make their home in Ottawa.

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Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hawkshaw, of Vancouver, entertained at a dinner party recently in honor of Mrs. Hamlet and Miss Dulce Hamlet, of Victoria, who are en route to London, Eng. Covers were laid for twelve, the guests being Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Burnett, Mrs. Barrett Lennard, Mrs. Innes Hopkins and Miss Hopkins, Messrs. Chrichton, Dal. Hawkshaw and Harry Burnett. The table motif was carried out with tall robin-egg blue tapers and pink carnations.

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Holiday Up-Island

Major and Mrs. R. S. Engledue have left for a motor trip to Up-Island points and expect to be away about ten days.

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Invitations to Wedding

Invitations arrived to friends in Victoria yesterday from Honorable Robert Randolph Bruce, Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, for the marriage of his niece, Helen Maud Mackenzie, to Mr. Julian J. Piggott, at Brompton Parish Church, Knightsbridge, on April 29, and afterwards to a reception at 54 Prince's Gate.

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Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Smith, Somenos, B.C., announce the engagement of their only daughter, Katie, to Mr. Ralph K. Bell, Kamloops, youngest son of the late Mr. A. W. Bell, and Mrs. Bell, of Victoria. The wedding will take place on April 23 in the United Church, Duncan, B.C.

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Arrive in Victoria

Mr. R. Dickinson, of the staff of the Bank of Montreal in Vancouver, has been moved to the main branch in Victoria, and, with Mrs. Dickinson, will make his home on St. Charles Street. They are at present visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. S. C. Fraser, St. Charles Street.

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Back From England

Mrs. George Napier has returned from a visit of several months to England and Scotland. A niece, Miss Peggy Traquair, of Edinburgh, accompanied her back to Canada and will be her guest here for some time.

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Dies in London

There are many in Victoria who will regret to know that Miss Mintie Shadgett died in London on March 16. For several years Miss Shadgett was a resident here and endeared herself to all who knew her by her great charm of character.

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shepheard, 608 Toronto Street, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Dorothy, to Mr. Gwyn Rodd, second son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Lyster Rodd, 355 Gorge Road. The wedding will take place shortly.

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Leave for Prairies

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Toms, 3378 Douglas Street, left on yesterday's boat for Vancouver en route to the prairies to spend a holiday visiting relatives and friends at Calgary, Moseo Jaw and Winnipeg.

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From California

Captain and Mrs. William S. Barton and family will arrive today from Southern California on an extended visit and will stay with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Barton, at Esquimalt.

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Leave for England

The Misses Margaret and Frances Amphlett, 1045 Fort Street, have left for Halifax, N.S., where they will sail in the Alaunia, April 7, for a two-months' holiday in Europe.

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At Glenshiel Hotel

The following guests are registered at the Glenshiel Hotel: Mrs. S. G. Robbins, Revelstoke, B.C.; Miss Elaine Robbins, Calgary; Mr. H. E. Hughes, London, and Mrs. H. F. Cowan, Enderby, B.C.

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At Windermere Hotel

Miss Winifred Guy, who recently arrived from New Zealand, is staying at the Windermere Hotel. Miss Guy has been giving a series of travel talks and poster exhibitions on Australia and New Zealand.

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Entertains at Dinner

Mrs. E. G. Prior, St. Charles Street, was hostess at a ladies' dinner party last night in honor of her guest, Mrs. H. E. C. Carry.

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Leaves for Vancouver

Miss Winifred Unwin, of Beaver Street, Oak Bay, left on Tuesday for Vancouver, where she will remain for some time.

Manager: How long do you want to be away on your honeymoon?

Clerk: Well, sir—er—how long would you suggest?

How do I know? I haven't seen the bride.

Photo Sent to Toronto

MARCUS Adams, the great English photographer of children, sent this lovely study of Princess Elizabeth to Mr. Charles Ashley, president of the Ontario Photographers' Association, in response to a transatlantic telephone conversation in which Mr. Ashley asked for the loan of some portraits of Royal children to arouse interest in the contests being run by the Photographers' Association of America to discover the most attractive child in America and in Ontario, respectively.

Island Social Notes

Sooke

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hoovey, of Victoria, have taken a residence here for a few months.

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The Sooke Athletic Association held its closing event of the season at Charters Hall on Saturday evening last, when a jolly crowd gathered for an old-time dance, followed by modern dancing in the latter part of the evening. Mr. Art Minnis provided a four-piece orchestra, and Mr. Rudd kindly played the accordion.

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Mr. C. A. Helgesen has returned from a trip to Port Renfrew.

Parksville

Mr. G. W. Gilbanks, of Vancouver, was a business visitor to Parksville Friday.

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Mr. J. Turner, of Victoria, and Mr. Russell Turner, of Port Alberni, were visitors to Parksville on Wednesday.

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Mr. H. G. Overy has returned from the Nanaimo Hospital, and will be incapacitated for the next few weeks owing to a severely sprained ankle.

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Mr. William Whetmore was a brief visitor at Parksville Monday, en route from Campbell River to Vancouver.

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Mrs. L. T. Davis left on Friday for Victoria, where she will spend the week-end with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Binty Davis.

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Miss Edna Parkin was a visitor to Ladysmith during the week-end.

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Mrs. G. Roscow returned on Thursday from a brief visit to Vancouver.

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Mr. T. Coldicutt, of Nanaimo, was a business visitor to Parksville during the week.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Abernethy have returned from a short visit to Vancouver.

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Mr. G. J. Forbes returned Tuesday from a business trip to Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wing returned on Thursday from a few days' visit to Vancouver.

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Mrs. C. T. Hilton, of Port Alberni, passed through Parksville during the week-end, en route to Big Qualicum, to visit her sister, Mrs. C. Wise.

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Miss Bowron, of Victoria, was in the district Friday visiting different schools in connection with her work.

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Mr. Brian Weld left on Friday for Victoria, en route to Vancouver, where he will resume his duties on the Border Queen.

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Inspector Sullivan, of the Educational Department of Victoria, was in the district last week.

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Mr. Hugh Davidson, of Vancouver, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Baker, French Creek, during the week-end.

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Mrs. T. M. Moilliet entertained on Thursday afternoon in honor of her small daughter, Mary, on the third anniversary of her birthday. The little people present were: Misses Sonia Bazett, Noni and Pam Rylands, J. and E. Cameron, Dorothy Stanhope, Kathrine Popham, Masters Lewin Moilliet, Gordon Forbes, John Moilliet, John Smith, John Wilson, J. Stanhope; also the following: Mrs. W. M. Wilcox, Mrs. E. B. May, Mrs. E. W. Bazett, Mrs. A. W. Wilson, Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. Stanhope, Mrs. A. L. Smith, Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. E. L. Moilliet, Miss Jeffrey and Miss Park.

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Master Alec Beattie returned home on Saturday from the Shawnigan School, and will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Beattie over Easter.

Port Alberni

Mrs. E. W. Griffiths has been spending the past few days visiting in Vancouver.

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Mr. G. B. Dixon, of Victoria, is among the out-of-town guests visiting in this city.

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Mr. Percy Beasley, St. Charles Street, Victoria, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Campbell for a short time.

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Mr. H. T. Hardy, of Toronto, is a visitor in this city, and a guest at the Somass Hotel.

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After spending a short time in this city, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Grayson have returned to their home in Vancouver.

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Mr. J. Anderson, of Parksville, is a visitor in Port Alberni.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. Donnelly and daughter, Thelma, have returned after spending the past few days visiting in Victoria.

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Mrs. E. Maralla was hostess at a very enjoyable bridge last evening, at her home here. The guests included Mrs. B. Fraser, Mrs. T. Harris, Mrs. C. Cook, Mrs. M. Paul, Mrs. R. Tyler, Mrs. C. Pope, Mrs. H. Pattinson, Mrs. T. Rooney, Mrs. E. Neale, Mrs. C. Brown, Mrs. G. Morton, Mrs. C. Adams, Mrs. E. Kelly, Mrs. H. Fowlie, Mrs. L. Haslam, Mrs. G. Robinson, Mrs. R. Tassle, Mrs. A. Walters, Mrs. F. Potter, Mrs. R. Walker (Vancouver), Mrs. H. Dawson, Mrs. W. Hamly, Mrs. L. Hambrook, and Mrs. D. O'Brien.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Martin have returned to Vancouver after spending the week-end in Port Alberni.

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Mrs. R. Walker, of Vancouver, is spending some time visiting friends here.

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Mr. P. G. Audlip, of Victoria, has been spending a short time in Port Alberni, and is a guest at the Somass Hotel.

LAKE HILL PARTY

An enjoyable card party was held in Lake Hill Community Hall on Monday evening under the auspices of the Women's Institute. There were nineteen tables in play and prizes were won as follows: First table, Mrs. Goodwin, Mrs. Creed, Mr. Wilby, Mr. Clow; second table, Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. Erb, Mr. Lambeth, Mr. Brown; ten bid, Mrs. Townsend, Mr. Lambeth; consolation, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Knowlton, Mr. Ferrier, Mr. Pooks. Another game will be held on Monday evening under the auspices of the centre, and will commence at 8:30 o'clock.

"How much does it cost to run your car, Tom?"

"I can't say how much it cost to run it, but it has cost me a pound to leave it standing still."

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

Singing in the rain would be irresistible to any smart woman who had provided herself with one of the new raincoats of rubberized crepe de Chine. There will be bright splashes of color seen on dripping days this Spring, for the raincoats are gay affairs in red, green and purple. Best of all, the new process of rubberizing a soft silky fabric such as crepe de Chine, makes it possible for this garment to be cut according to the popular lines chosen for more formal coats, and at the same time be not too warm when slipped over a Summer frock.

The model shown here is of vivid green and adopts narrow gores to give the long lines of the current coat silhouette, the nipped-in waist and slightly flaring circular hemline. Excellent use is made of the favor accorded brimmed hats this season in the one shown here of the same material as the coat. Completing the ensemble idea is a neat handbag of the same fabric. It's something to sing about

POTTERY EXHIBIT WINS APPROVAL

Victorians Do Well at Calgary Exhibition With Various Articles

Local craft workers are feeling elated over the success of their exhibit recently displayed in Calgary under the auspices of the Canadian Pacific Railway Handicrafts Festival. The red ribbon for excellence was given to three exhibitors who sent pottery, namely: Miss Emily Carr, for a large bowl with Indian design; Miss Eryl Edwards, for an Indian figure, and Mrs. J. C. Edwards for an Indian bowl with frog design, and a glazed jug in blue and green by the same artist.

Several other pieces found purchasers, including a large water vase and jug, by Mrs. M. M. Groos; another piece by Mrs. McMorran, an unglazed jardiniere, also found a purchaser.

The success attained by local craft in the medium of pottery making is the outcome of persistent effort on the part of a few enthusiastic workers who can now feel assured that their articles are admired for beauty and excellence of workmanship wherever displayed. Much of this success is also due to the kindness of the late Hon. Walter C. Nichol, who presented them with a suitable kiln, thus enabling the pottery pieces to be properly fired.

St. Mark's W.A. Hold Successful Bazaar

St. Mark's Women's Auxiliary, Cloverdale, held its annual Easter bazaar and sale of work yesterday afternoon in the parish hall, Tennyson Road. Rev. O. L. Jull, vicar of the parish, introduced Mrs. Quainton, who, in a brief address, declared the bazaar open, and was afterwards presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers by little Margaret Prentice.

The following ladies presided at the stalls: Plain sewing, Mesdames E. H. Fisher and M. Cameron; fancy work, Mesdames McElfrish and Eraut; aprons, Mesdames Bassett and Graham; Junior W.A. novelties, Mesdames Carter, Allan and Shaw; home cooking, Mesdames Wells and Sexsmith; Junior W.A. bran tub, Mrs. Butts and Misses Phyllis and Chrissie Butts; afternoon tea, Mesdames Bridges, Bartle and Arthur Clarke.

In the evening a concert was held in which the following artists assisted, the programme being arranged by Mrs. Parmiter: Vocal solo by Miss Eileen Bennett and her pupil, Miss Dolly Rutledge; duets, trios and quartette by Messrs. Jones, Thomas and Veale, Mrs. and Miss Parmiter; violin solos, Dr. Bryce; piano solo, Miss W. Parmiter; accompanist, Mrs. Jull, A.T.C.M.

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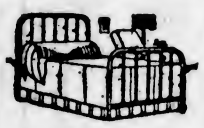

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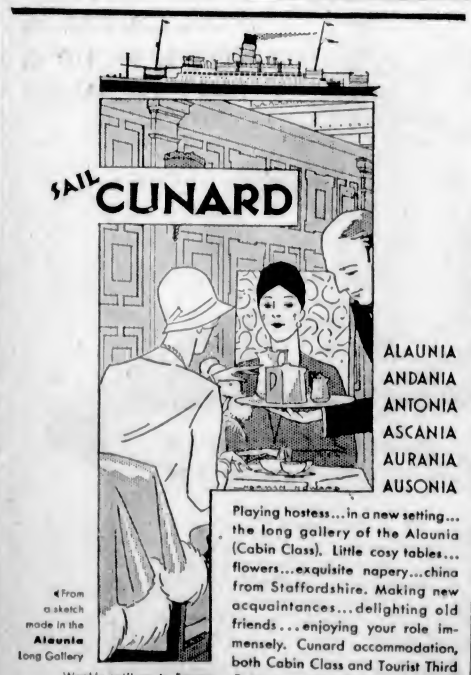

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The Friendly Help Association was pleased to welcome back from her trip South their president Mrs. Cullum, who presided at the monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Association held Tuesday morning. Eleven members were present.

During the month of March 161 families, representing 696 persons, were assisted. Of these twenty were new cases, some being very difficult to deal with.

Ninety-eight had groceries, thirty-six had fuel, twenty-nine had wood, eleven had coal, fifty-six had milk daily, fifty-eight had meat more than once, and ten pairs of children's new shoes were bought.

From rooms fifty-five got clothing, thirty-one got provisions as eggs, apples, jam, onions, potatoes, candy, and two got sundries as bed, mattress and rags.

Up to date this last Winter has been the most strenuous ever experienced by the Friendly Help Association, due to lack of employment. Our funds are very much depleted and we would appreciate cash donations from our ever generous, well-wishing friends. Now that the pleasant weather has opened up, we trust that working conditions will greatly improve this month and continue for many months to come, so that there will be less need for assistance.

Furniture of all kinds is needed very badly for a family who is setting up housekeeping, and cook stoves are wanted for this and another urgent case.

The Association will assist the Jubilee Hospital Auxiliary on their tag day, April 5, at the Market Building.

The Friendly Help Association acknowledges with grateful thanks the following donations received during March:

Cash: The City, C. Hensley, Senator G. H. Barnard, Miss Tabor, W. D. Todd, J. A. Sayward, Mrs. Driscoll, Mrs. Gregory, Mrs. Crow Baker, Miss A. Carr, Mrs. Nichol, Queen's Market, E. W. McMullen, A Friend, A Sincere Friend, B. Adams, Alderman Worthington, W. L. Morgan Fuel Co., Vimpa Jersey Milk Co.

Clothing: Mrs. Townsley, Mrs. Angus, Mr. Mills, Mrs. Gill (child's new sweater and socks), Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. H. Wyles, Miss Dawson, Mrs. Seater, Mrs. Kitchen, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Wilson, Mr. Cooper, Mrs. Benson, Mr. Smith, Lady Lake, Mrs. Dunn, Mr. Sutcliffe, Mr. Abbey, Mrs. H. Brown, Mrs. S. G. Clark, Mrs. Sinclair, Mrs. Fulford, Alexis Martin, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Maunsell, Mrs. Trafford, Miss Landers, Miss Mowbray, Mr. R. Driscoll, Mrs. Herd, Mrs. Mannox, Mrs. McCaw, Mr. Bell, Mr. Lindsay, Mrs. A. R. Hick, Mrs. Snider, Brentwood Bay; Mrs. Peel, Mrs. Thorn, A Friend, Mrs. Wollaston, Mrs. Matthews, Metchosin; Mrs. J. T. Clark, Mrs. Fraser, Mr. A. E. Mallet, Mrs. Morton, Mr. B. R. Evans, Mrs. C. Munt, Saanichton; Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. McAdie, Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Lane.

Provisions: Mrs. Garland, apples; Mrs. Dunn, jam; Mrs. A. Walter, eggs; Miss Dawson, potatoes.

Sundries: Mrs. Clark, mattresses.

AUSTRALIA TO HAVE MORE WHEAT GROWN

Propose to Add Further Million Acres to Wheat Growing Area of State of Victoria

(Canadian Press Cable via Havas)

MELBOURNE, Australia, April 2.—Addition of a million acres to the wheat-growing area of the State of Victoria is the aim of the State Government, Hon. William Slater, State Treasurer, today announced. The associated banks in co-operation with the Government, are making $1,000,000 available for sowing additional wheat acreage.

The State Parliament was formally opened today and Lord Somers, the Governor, in tht Speech from the Throne said the Government was introducing a scheme of workers' unemployment insurance. He also forecast early legislation for introduction of the "totalisator," or mechanical betting machine on Victorian race tracks.

JEWELERS HELD UP

SEATTLE, April 2.—Two unmasked, armed robbers held up the jewelry store of Goldsmiths, Inc., on Second Avenue, here today and escaped with approximately $10,000 in diamonds and other jewelry.

This Life
By J. M. Striebel

Game called on account of—what? Would you call it "lost ball" or interference?" At any rate, things have reached a critical stage.

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—Third Floor, HBC

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—Second Floor, HBC

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Thursday

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Shoulders, whole or half, per lb. ..... 24¢

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Fillets, per lb. ..... 42¢
Loins, per lb. ..... 40¢
Rumps and Ribs, per lb. ..... 35¢
Shoulders, per lb. ..... 25¢
Veal Stew, per lb. ..... 20¢

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Legs, whole, per lb. ..... 28¢
Loins and Fillets, per lb. ..... 32¢
Shoulders, per lb. ..... 25¢
Pickled Pork, per lb. ..... 25¢
Imperial Pork Sausages, per lb. ..... 30¢

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Legs, whole or half, lb., 28¢
Loins, per lb. ..... 20¢
Shoulders and Racks, lb., 15¢

Poultry

Choice Fowl, per lb. ..... 35¢
Roasting Chicken, per lb., 45¢

—Lower Main Floor, HBC

World-Famous Stories

TWEEDLEDUM AND TWEEDLEDEE

LEWIS CARROLL

(Lewis Carroll, 1832-1898, was the pen-name of Charles Lutwidge Dodgson, a famous British story writer, author of "Alice in Wonderland" and "Through the Looking Glass." It is from the latter that this episode is taken.)

On turning a sharp corner Alice came upon two little fat men so sudden that she could not help starting back, but in another moment she recovered herself, feeling sure that they must be Tweedledum and Tweedledee. They were standing under a tree, each with an arm around the other's neck, and Alice knew which was which in a moment, because one of them had Dum embroidered on his collar and the other Dee.

"I suppose they've each got Tweedle round at the back of the collar," Alice said to herself.

They stood so still that she quite forgot they were alive, and she was just looking around to see if the word Tweedle was written on the back of each collar, when she was startled by a voice coming from the one marked Dum.

"If you think we're waxworks," he said, "you ought to pay, you know. Waxworks weren't made to be looked at for nothing. Nohow!"

"Contrariwise," added the one marked Dee, "if you think we're alive, you ought to speak."

"I'm sure I'm sorry," was all Alice could say, for the words of the old song kept saying them out loud, like this:

Tweedledum and Tweedledee
Agreed to have a battle,
For Tweedledum said Tweedledee
Had spoiled his nice new rattle.
Just then flew down a monstrous crow,
As black as a tar-barrel,
Which frightened both the heroes so,
They quite forgot their quarrel.

"I know what you're thinking about," said Tweedledum, "but it isn't so, nohow."

"Contrariwise," continued Tweedledee, "if it was so, it might be, and if it were so, it would be; but as it isn't, it ain't. That's logic."

"I was thinking," Alice said very politely, "which is the best way out of this wood—it's getting so dark. Do you think it's going to rain?"

Tweedledum spread a large umbrella over himself and his brother, and looked up into it. "No, I don't think it is," he said. "At least, not under here. Nohow."

"It may if it chooses," said Tweedledee. "We have no objections. Contrariwise."

"Selfish things," thought Alice, and she was just going to say good-night and leave them when Tweedledum sprang out from under the umbrella and seized her by the wrist.

"Do you see that?" he said in a voice choking with passion, and his eyes grew large and yellow all in a moment, as he pointed with a trembling finger at a small white thing lying under a tree.

"It's only a rattle," Alice said, after a careful examination of the little white thing. "Quite old and broken."

"I knew it was!" cried Tweedledum, beginning to stamp about wildly and tear his hair. "It's spoiled, of course." Here he looked at Tweedledee, who immediately sat down on the ground and tried to hide himself under the umbrella.

Alice laid her hand upon his arm, and said in a soothing tone, "You needn't be so angry about an old rattle."

"But it isn't old!" Tweedledum cried in a greater fury than ever. "It's new, I tell you—I bought it yesterday—my nice new rattle!" and his voice rose to a perfect scream.

All this time Tweedledee was trying his best to fold up the umbrella with himself in it, which was such an extraordinary thing to do that it quite took off Alice's attention from the angry brother. But he couldn't quite succeed and it ended in his rolling over, bundled up in the umbrella, with only his head out, and there he lay, opening and shutting his mouth and his large eyes—"looking more like a fish than anything else," Alice thought.

"Of course you agree to have a battle?" Tweedledum said in a calmer tone.

"I suppose so," the other sulkily replied, as he crawled out of the umbrella. "Only she must help us dress up, you know."

So the two brothers went off hand-in-hand into the wood, and returned in a minute with their arms full of things—such as bolsters, blankets, hearthrugs, tablecloths, dish covers and coal-scuttles. "I hope you're a good hand at pinning and tying strings," Tweedledum remarked. "Every one of these things has got to go on, somehow or other."

Alice said afterwards she had never seen such a fuss made about anything in all her life—the way those two bustled about—and the quantity of things they put on. "Really they'll be more like bundles of old clothes than anything else by the time they're ready," she said to herself, as she arranged a bolster around the neck of Tweedledee, "to keep his head from being cut off," as he said.

"You know," he added very gravely, "it's one of the most serious things that can possibly happen to one in a battle—to get one's head cut off."

Alice laughed aloud—but she managed to turn it into a cough, for fear of hurting his feelings.

"Do I look very pale?" said Tweedledum, coming up to have his helmet tied on. (He called it a helmet, though it certainly looked much more like a saucepan). "I'm very brave generally," he went on, "only today I happen to have a headache."

"And I've got a toothache," said Tweedledee, who had overheard the remark. "I'm far worse than you."

"Then you'd better not fight today," said Alice, thinking it a good opportunity to make a peace.

"We must have a bit of a fight, but I don't care about going on long," said Tweedledum. "What's the time now?"

Tweedledee looked at his watch, and said, "Half-past four."

"Let's fight till six and then have dinner," said Tweedledum.

"Very well," the other said rather sadly, "and she can watch us—only you'd better not come very close," he added. "I generally hit everything I can see, when I get really excited."

"And I hit everything within reach," cried Tweedledum, "whether I can see it or not."

"I wish the monstrous crow would come," thought Alice. It was getting dark so suddenly that Alice thought there must be a thunderstorm coming on. "How fast the black clouds comes," she said. "Why, I do believe it's got wings."

"It's the crow!" Tweedledum cried out in a shrill voice of alarm. And the two brothers took to their heels and were out of sight in a moment.

Alice ran a little way into the wood and stopped under a large tree. "It can never get at me here," she thought. "It's far too large to come in here."

The driver of the motor car which had just knocked down a man, fortunately without injuring him, stopped the car and faced his victim manfully.

"I am sorry it happened," he said. "You should take more care when you are walking. I am a very experienced driver. I have been driving my car for nine years."

"Well," replied the victim, "I'm not a novice myself. I've been walking for forty-nine years."

Circus Elephant Has Unusual Use

THE worst March blizzard in Chicago's history has practically paralyzed traffic, caused five deaths and much hardship among the poor. The storm also played numerous pranks. For instance, a circus arrived in town in the very teeth of the blizzard, and in order to get to its quarters it was necessary to put the elephants to work. The photograph here shows Eva, circus elephant, moving autos that blocked the way of the show cars.—Copyright, 1930, Pacific & Atlantic Photos, Inc.

WRONG CONCEPTION HELD ABOUT POETS

Basic Interest of Writers Is Life, Not Literature, Says Mr. Edward Davison

Appreciation of poetry requires no superior intelligence, but is within the reach of all people, Mr. Edward Davison, poet and essayist, pointed out in an address before the Montreal Women's Canadian Club recently.

Generally speaking, there are two attitudes taken towards poetry, he said. Some people regard poetry with some suspicion, as something beyond the pale of human understanding, and the poets as impractical souls, inevitably tall and thin, regarding the stars or the lily clasped gently in one hand. Most people disregard or are ignorant of the fact that poets are individuals similar to all others. A great many poets are renowned for athletic prowess, military success and political importance.

On the other hand, there are those persons who read avidly all the latest editions of poetry and with smug satisfaction in intellectual accomplishment, revel in their powers of appreciation. These people, with exaggerated ecstacy, have developed poetry into a cult similar to making samplers, he said.

The ordinary man and woman remains in a slightly puzzled attitude. They are unaware of the fact that the poets are people with a certain attitude toward life and a background of much experience. The primary interest of literary men, he said, is not literature but life. All the great poets have been men of affairs, prominent in the actions of their city and country. The ordinary person will attempt to read an authology of modern verse crowded with poor names and a few good ones. Finding that five out of six poems are poor, they condemn poetry as a result.

The period of oral literature, Mr. Davison said, was a great deal longer than the period of written verse. Ballads or folk songs were passed from generation to generation, and dealt in a naive and charming manner with the common things of life. It was a great literature which everyone knew but did not recognize as literature. Poets had done more for England than any other factor in her history, he said, and have always gone unrewarded.

The serious things of life, love, marriage and death, are all repeated in poetry. The sense of the mystery of time and eternity are expressed in poetry alone. Every poet has written at least one poem on this theme. The poets have taken life and made the best of it. In their poetry they tell the world about problems which have existed throughout time, the lecturer said.

By reading poetry, Mr. Davison continued, people will think of the important things of life, and are able to understand themselves better. Conversely, by understanding themselves they will understand poetry better.

NEW "HUMAN FLY" FEAT

Jack Farnsworth, a coal worker and well-known athlete of Clay Cross, England, has found a new "Human Fly" method of walking up buildings. He finds two which are about seven feet apart and with hands on one and feet on the other he scales them. His exhibitions have thrilled crowds in England.

AERIAL SURVEYS COVER WIDE AREA

Seventy Thousand Miles Covered by Aerial Photographs in 1929

With the results of the flying season of 1929 now generally known, it is possible to summarize the aerial work performed by the Royal Canadian Air Force in the various services that that body renders to the Dominion. Ever since the war there has been close co-operation between the Air Force and departments of the Government, and while originally activities were largely confined to forest patrol and aerial photography, of late years it has been found that the airplane can be used for many other services in scientific work and in the administration of Canada's natural resources.

MUCH WORK DONE

The results obtained during the season of 1929 were more than usually successful in aerial photography. These aerial photographs are used not only for mapping but for water power investigations, timber cruising and estimating geological investigations and various engineering purposes. In fact, the aerial photographs provide the means for assisting in a material way the ultimate analysis of the resources of a district. As an example this year, an area of over 4,000 square miles was photographed in Northern British Columbia for the purpose of taking stock of its natural resources. The preliminary reports indicate that this work was so satisfactory that a wide field of usefulness has been opened up for aerial reconnaissance.

In all eight detachments of two machines were each used last season, and the aggregate flying time totaled more than 3,400 hours. Activities extended from Nova Scotia on the east to British Columbia on the west and included work in every province. In all about 24,000 square miles were vertical photography and 46,000 square miles oblique. Vertical photography is used by the Topographical Survey to map rough country, or where great detail is required; while oblique photography has a field of its own in mapping and exploring the great hinterland.

GEODETIC RECONNAISSANCE

Canada has for years led the world in aerial surveying; and, during the 1929 season, has consolidated that leadership by applying, for the first time in any country, aerial methods to geodetic reconnaissance and transportation. This has been accomplished with a marked saving both in time and money, particularly as the work has been largely done by airplanes on photographic operations, in weather which was unsuitable for photography, and when otherwise the airplanes would have been idle. Altogether more than three hundred hours were flown for the Geodetic Survey of Canada, giving an increase of about 10 per cent in the utilization of the photographic machines at no expense for equipment or personnel. This increase, however, tells only part of the story, as two-thirds of the geodetic work was done by one detachment only in its spare time. It is reasonable to assume that, with the benefit of a season's experience in aerial work, the Geodetic Survey will be able to make use of the airplane even more extensively in the future.

The operations this year have shown that the geodetic reconnaissance, both general and detailed, can be made by airplane, an area being covered in a few hours that would take weeks or months of travel by the usual means. The stations having been selected, the tower-building party can be transported by air and landed on some lake near the station. The work completed, the party is moved to the next station by airplane, which brings in on its trip fresh supplies and materials. The observing party sets out its lights by airplane and is moved from station to station in the same way. In addition to all this the chief of the party and the head office in Ottawa, are able to keep in almost daily touch with the various scattered units of the organization.

During the 1929 season the airplane was also largely used by the supervisory staff to keep in touch with developments and prospecting throughout the Prairie Provinces and the Northwest Territories. Those engaged in mining activity in many parts of Canada are placing more and more reliance in aerial prospecting and transportation.

PROF. GRIFFITHS TO VISIT VICTORIA

Noted Bulb Expert Will Come to City for Spring Flower Show

In connection with the fourth annual Spring flower show, which is to be held at the Willows, Victoria, on Friday and Saturday, April 25 and 26, by the Vancouver Island Horticultural Association, Professor Griffiths, of Washington, D.C., has consented to be present. Dr. Griffiths is at the head of the bulb growing section of the horticultural branch of the Department of Agriculture of the United States and is, perhaps better informed than anyone on the subject of bulb growing on this continent.

The Vancouver Island Horticultural Association feels very grateful to the Government of the United States for allowing Dr. Griffiths to be present at the Spring show, particularly as he is putting off his return to the national capital in order to be present.

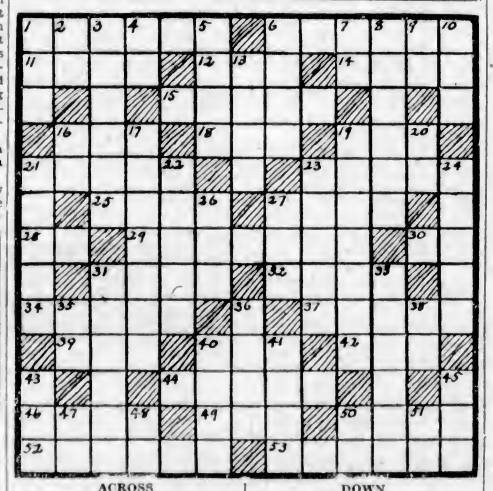
Bulb growers from all parts of British Columbia should take advantage of Dr. Griffiths' presence, as he will undoubtedly be able to offer a great deal of sound advice in respect to the industry.

The Spring show this year will have a number of new and original features which will be of great interest to flower lovers.

PUDDING HONORS IRE SCOTS

Highlanders of Scotland are much aroused over the escorting of haggis puddings to tables by bagpipes at Burns Club and other dinners. To most of those attending the event the custom has appeared merely as an innocent diversion, but the loyal Gael scents in it a grievous insult. The origin of the ceremony is attributed to Burns' apostrophizing of the "great chieftains of the puddin' race." Hence the present trouble. As one critic coldly remarks: "Highlanders who are well informed about the history and traditions of bagpipe playing remember that the pipes were used to honor their chiefs and distinguished guests, and not to glorify a Lowland pudding."

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



ACROSS

1. English naturalist.
6. American inventor.
11. Toward the lee.
12. Point of the compass (ab.).
14. Withered.
15. The great oil shipping port of the Black Sea.
16. A title (ab.).
18. A color.
19. Companion of the Star of India (ab.).
21. Worries.
23. Performing.
25. Man's name.
27. Sea eagle.
28. Pronoun.
29. Melodious.
30. Note of the scale.
31. Affection.
32. To plant.
34. Solitary.
37. Sleeping vision.
39. Small island.
40. Sack.
42. An explosive.
44. Same as rattan.
46. Above.
49. A fabric.
50. Unadorned.
52. Fruitless.
53. The "Father of Geometry."

DOWN

1. Division of time.
2. Boy's nickname.
3. Reverence.
4. Pronoun.
5. Close.
6. Affray.
7. Place of the seal (ab.).
8. Girl's nickname.
9. Conjunction.
10. Snare.
13. Part of a plant.
16. Sun god.
17. A state.
19. Musical entertainment.
20. Within.
21. A country.
22. A strainer.
23. Freed from moisture.
24. German brothers who wrote celebrated fairy tales.
26. Suffix, small.
27. English Dialect Society (ab.).
31. Linger.
33. Negation.
35. Note of the scale.
36. Tardy.
38. In that place.
40. Stable.
41. Yawn.
43. A Biblical character.
45. Cot.
47. A state (ab.).
48. Railroad (ab.).
50. A province (ab.).
51. A state (ab.).

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

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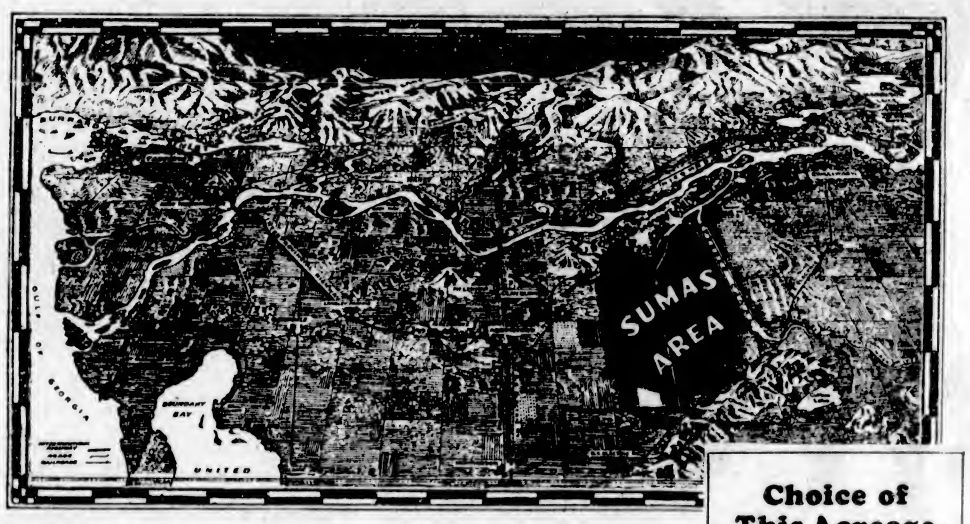

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BROKER FIRM'S APPEALS STILL BEFORE COURT

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heads of the firm in Calgary, said the constable went to the Solloway-Mills office here for a definite purpose, and his discretion ended when he got the papers. It was the plain duty of the constable to carry the papers to a justice, he said.

Sir William expressed the opinion if the Crown got possession, by coercion, of papers and documents seized by the constable, that property was still in possession of the constable, and it was his duty to see it was forthcoming.

COURT CRITICIZES

Mr. A. W. Rogers, of the Attorney-General's Department, was criticized by the court as a whole for allowing the officer who seized the books under the Ontario warrant presumably to keep them, or send them to Alberta, when they should have been taken immediately before a justice, as provided by the code.

Mr. Justice Magee expressed the opinion a great injustice might be done by keeping the books because they might contain evidence of crime by someone else.

The books of a bank would not be tied up because a teller was accused of theft, he said.

Mr. Rogers said copies of the books had been available and that the Crown had acted reasonably.

"Have you any objections to the provisions of the Criminal Code being complied with?" Mr. Justice Hodgins asked.

WHY NOT OBEY LAW?

"Why do you not obey the law?" Chief Justice Mulock interjected. "What's the use of showing them copies of their own books? The law does not allow you to dispose of them as you have done. It only allows you to take them to a magistrate. What is the use of beating about the bush?"

Replying, Mr. Rogers said there was nothing in the Criminal Code to impose such a duty, to say when the books should be taken before a magistrate. "The law is drafted in such a way, the books may be left with the Crown for examination and not with the magistrate, before the magistrate is ready to go on with the trial," he said.

Mr. Justice Magee asserted they should be taken to the magistrate. The police officer was an irresponsible person and might show them to anyone, he said.

Mr. Rogers declared in answer that he acted on instructions from the Attorney-General.

Sir William reiterated that the Attorney-General had no more right to the company's books than he had. "The Crown has not got lawful possession of these books," he said.

More Trouble In Doukhobor Brotherhood

NELSON, B.C., April 2.—A nude demonstration on Sunday by eight noncommunity Doukhobors, who interrupted the preaching of Peter Veregin at the annual meeting of the Christian Community of Universal Brotherhood at Brilliant, was followed by further disorders on Monday night by about 300 who did not go to the extent of disrobing. The provincial police from Nelson were called out to maintain order.

The demonstrations resulted in a committee being appointed by the conference to interview the malcontents and offer them a tract of land in the Slocan Valley for their use, provided they would agree to be law-abiding, to send their children to the schools and to pay lawful taxes. This offer was rejected by the disturbers, who demanded the privilege of living in close association with the community without obligation to pay rates or obey the laws. They were then requested to leave.

MINISTER IS UNDER FIRE IN COMMONS

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(Cons., Fort William) today characterized the statements of the minister as an "'April Fool's Day' speech, so far as the unemployed are concerned."

Dr. Manion charged that the Government had to be "kicked" into the discussion and asserted that there was every indication that the Government had no policy for the unemployed.

Dr. Manion scored the Minister of Labor for not having called an unemployment conference at the request of Labor. He demanded to know the policy of the Government to unemployment insurance.

Mr. E. J. Garland (U.F.A., Bow River) urged a survey of economists into the whole economic structure of Canada in order that they might advise the Prime Minister on a solution of the problem.

Support for the amendment came also from Colonel Thomas Cantley (Cons., Picton).

Debate will be continued tomorrow by Mr. C. R. McIntosh (Lib., North Battleford).

BEAR MEAT VICTIM

STUTTGART, Germany, April 2.—The proprietor of the restaurant which a few days ago served bear meat to its patrons, died today of trichinosis. He was the tenth victim of the repast.

IRISH FREE STATE HEAD IS ELECTED

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Laborites, that they would not in "any circumstances support De Valera, because they accepted the Irish Treaty with England."

TO CONTINUE SPEAKING

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 2.—Election of Mr. William T. Cosgrave as President of the Executive Council of the Irish Free State was just as he had predicted, said Mr. Eamonn de Valera here today.

Mr. De Valera will conclude his two-day visit in the Twin Cities tomorrow, when he will leave for Seattle.

The defeat of Mr. De Valera for the same office also was just as he expected, he declared, as his party, the Republicans, could not muster enough votes to defeat the Government faction, headed by Mr. Cosgrave.

Mr. De Valera denied reports from Dublin that negotiations leading to the election of a new President had brought about a split in the Republican party.

Having been convinced there was no chance he might be elected to the presidency to succeed Mr. Cosgrave, Mr. De Valera has decided to continue his lecture tour in this country instead of returning to Dublin.

Australia Plans Reserve Bank as In South Africa

(Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's)

CANBERRA, Australia, April 2.—Hon. E. G. Theodore, Commonwealth Treasurer, introduced in the House of Assembly today a bill to create a central reserve bank similar to the Central Reserve Bank of South Africa. The bank will have a capital of $10,000,000, drawn for the Commonwealth Bank, and the board will include representatives of labor.

The proposal marks another step in the Labor Government's comprehensive programme for restoration of the economic and financial position of Australia, a programme which also includes a compulsory wheat-marketing pool.

FALLS TO DEATH

THE PAS, Man., April 2.—When he lost his grip while attempting to slide down the 500-foot joist cable of No. 3 shaft at Flin Flon, Matti Ekola, twenty-five, fell to his death Tuesday.

Cooling Reds in London

LONDON policeman on horseback helps to stem the rush of Communists who attempted to march on Mansion House, the official residence of the Lord Mayor of London, as part of their recent world-wide demonstrations. One of the demonstrators is seen very nearly under the horse's hoofs, following his fall from grace.

News and Notes of the Interior

FRUIT PROSPECTS

PENTICTON—While there has been some damage to peaches and apricots, both as to wood and bud, cherries, apples and pears do not reveal any Winter injury, and indications are that the general 1930 fruit crop in Penticton district will be as great as in 1929. This means a good normal yield. The dry weather of last season and the chilly spell of the Winter hit the peaches and apricots to some extent, but the injury seems to be confined chiefly to certain orchards in unfavorable locations. There is no general damage and it is not believed that the crop as a whole will show any material reduction.

HEAVY SALE OF CEDAR

NEW HAZELTON—A total of a million and a half feet of cedar poles and piling were disposed of at Terrace last Thursday afternoon. It was the largest cedar sale ever held in the province and it was a most successful one in every way. The upset price was 1 1-4c for seven-inch tops and 1 1-2c for eight-inch tops. Most of the stuff went for more than the upset price, some going to 3c, which means, when stumpage and the royalty are added, the Government is getting 4c.

DEATH OF VERNON MAN

VERNON—C. Y. Kinloch, sixty-seven, well known clubman of Vernon for eleven years, is dead. Mr. Kinloch never regained consciousness after a fall on Monday. He died on Wednesday.

TROUT FOR KOOTENAY

NELSON—Distribution of "eyed" eggs of the Eastern brook trout from the Dominion Government hatchery at Nelson, which has been under way since February 27, is about completed, the total distribution amounting to 512,500 eggs, Weldon Reid, superintendent, states. A further 335 trout fry will be put into Kootenay waters, if the usual ratio of the hatchery is maintained.

PRINCETON HOSPITAL

PRINCETON—A new hospital for Princeton has been practically decided on. An important special meeting of the board was held Tuesday night to consider the matter. Assurance has now been given that the Granby Company will co-operate to the fullest extent. Certain alterations to the plans are being considered, and these will be submitted to the Government architect. It is the plan of the board to undertake the work this year.

OKANAGAN VEGETABLES

VERNON—Although the Spring is backward vegetable growers are proceeding apace with plans for the season's operations. The southern slope down towards Okanagan Lake will be the scene of as great if not greater operations than during 1929. One Oriental grower has already set out 80,000 tomato plants in his greenhouse seed beds. Bulman, Limited, dehydrator operator, has torn up the three-year contracts with growers for tomatoes at a lower price than paid elsewhere, and is making new contracts for deliveries at $16.50 a ton. This is the price paid last season for tomatoes by canners on the main line of the C.P.R.

HAT CREEK COAL

ASHCROFT—Mr. C. T. Chappel, general superintendent Pacific district, C.N.R., and Mr. C. J. Quantic, superintendent of motor power, visited Ashcroft recently and inspected the Hat Creek coal deposits with a view to their development. It is reported that a large quantity of this coal will be shipped to the Coast from Ashcroft, where it will be treated for the value it may contain in a certain by-product.

HEAVY SNOWFALL

SUMMERLAND — Mr. George Johnson has tabulated an interesting report of the recent snowfall which includes a notation that the fall on Monday was the heaviest yet recorded in any one day, at the Summerland Experimental Station, and what came then fell in twelve hours. The fall was recorded through the rain gauge and measured 13.2 inches, which equals a precipitation of 1.32 inches. The heaviest snowfall previously recorded in a twenty-four-hour period was in November, 1919, when 7.75 inches fell.

Brokerage Firm Of Montreal to Answer Charges

MONTREAL, April 2.—On a warrant signed by an officer of the Provincial Government, Louis M. Atwell and D. W. O'Hara, brokers, appeared before Judge Monet in the arraignment court here today charged with "conspiracy to defraud the public."

They filed a denial to the accusation and were ordered to be held in bail of $25,000 each pending their preliminary hearing next week.

Both the accused operated brokerage houses in Montreal. The complaint stated they had, "during the two years preceding their arrest conspired together to defraud the public of a sum of $2,000,000." This was done, the warrant stated, by means of affecting the values of stocks sold publicly. The complaint bore the signature of Detective W. German, of the Provincial Police.

Soviet Godless Revolt Talk in House of Lords

(Associated Press)

LONDON, April 2.—The Archbishop of Canterbury, opening a debate in the House of Lords today on the position of religion in Russia, said he had sifted a mass of evidence and was able to prove that there still was an elaborate system of persistent oppression of religion in Russia.

The archbishop said he had confined his researches to the limit of the past year, and as far as possible had been careful not to use sources of information affected by the admitted allegiance to the old czarist regime or active resistance to the Soviet Government.

He added that what had been witnessed in Russia the last twelve years was a long struggle for the souls of the people, and that the eradication of religion "remained the aim of the greater oligarchic power in Russia, although pressure might wax and wane."

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT SELF

THE PAS, Man., April 2.—Injured by the accidental discharge of his rifle, Charles Krugg, pioneer trapper, was brought to hospital here by aeroplane Wednesday. He will recover.

POOL CRITICISM IS OBJECTED TO

Heads of Farmers' Co-operative Protest Against Statement Made by Mr. Aaron Sapiro

REGINA, Sask., April 2.—Opposition to Government control of the Wheat Pool would be practically unanimous among the farmers of Saskatchewan it was declared here Wednesday in a statement issued by Mr. A. J. McPhail, president of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Wheat Producers, Ltd., replying to criticisms made of the pool's selling policy by Mr. Aaron Sapiro.

The statement my Mr. McPhail reads:

"I cannot believe that Mr. Sapiro is correctly reported. If the report is true all I can say is that his criticism is as incorrect and wide of the mark as that of other uninformed critics of the marketing policy during the past year. So far as his suggestions for a Government supervised wheat marketing organization is concerned, I am sure that, regardless of any differences of opinion amongst members of the pool on the question of control, the opposition of farmers and pool members to government control would be practically unanimous."

MR. H. WOOD'S VIEWS

CALGARY, Alta., April 2.—"There is one point Mr. Sapiro has completely overlooked in his speech at Berkeley," stated Mr. H. W. Wood, chairman of the board of the Alberta Wheat Pool, on Wednesday. "That is the fact that the one and only difficulty the pool is facing is the lack of buyers, and on that point Mr. Sapiro is silent as the grave. I do not know how the Provincial or Dominion Governments could possibly sell our wheat without buyers, but if they can, we would be glad of their assistance."

Further than this Mr. Wood declined to comment on the statements regarding the management of the Canadian Wheat Pool and Government supervision of co-operatives made by Mr. Sapiro in his California speech, intimating that the public was quite aware of his opinion on Sapiro's policies in regard to compulsory pooling system advocated some months ago in Saskatchewan.

MADE PRESIDENT

TORONTO, April 2.—Mr. A. R. Alloway, managing director of The Oshawa Times, was unanimously elected president of the Ontario Provincial Dailies' Association for the next year at the annual meeting, held here yesterday. Mr. Alloway was the retiring vice-president.

No More Bodies Of Miners Have Yet Been Found

(Associated Press)

KETTLE ISLAND, Ky., April 2.—The hope that their long and hazardous toil would be ended today with the finding of the remaining ten of the sixteen men trapped Saturday by an explosion two miles back in a coal mine here spurred the efforts of volunteer rescue workers.

Since the finding of the bodies of six of the men Monday all hope that any of the remaining ten might have survived the blast in the Pioneer Coal Company's mine has ended. But efforts of the workers who, for more than three days, have risked their own lives in the desperate effort to clear the debris of the explosion, has never slackened.

ANOTHER PERFECTLY GOOD PICNIC GONE WRONG!

SOMEBODY has forgotten to put in the big package of Rowntree's York Milk Chocolate. Aunt Mary (extreme left) is suspected, but nobody can find the heart to accuse her. Little Bartholomew (seated, with arms crossed, at the right) felt all along that something was going to happen to spoil the day.

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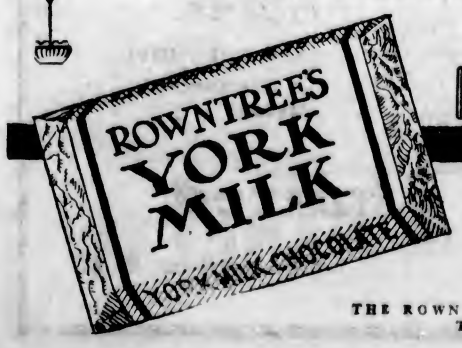

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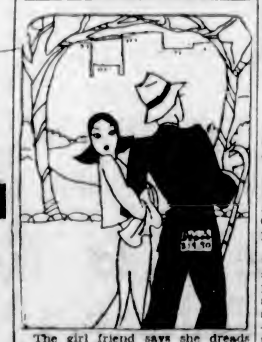

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At The Playhouses

RAMON NOVARRO AT THE DOMINION

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Ramon Novarro in the costumes of the Napoleonic era; reproductions of old French chateaus and gardens; and a romantic plot of the days when to be a Royalist in France meant a life of danger and intrigue, form the basis for "Devil-May-Care," Novarro's first all-talking picture, which opens today at the Dominion Theatre.

The new Novarro vehicle was made unusually attractive by expert photography and a beautiful sequence filmed in technicolor. Cedric Gibbons, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer art director, took special pains in reproducing both interior and exterior settings for the romantic film and anyone with an eye for line and design in furniture, rooms and landscapes, will be able to gather considerable information on decorations of the Napoleonic period.

The story, adapted by Richard Schayer, Hans Kraly and Zelda Sears from a French play entitled "Battle of the Ladies," has all the romance and adventure of a Walter Scott novel plus a certain sophistication, which makes it accepetable to modern audiences.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Ralph Graves, popular star who plays opposite Belle Baker in "Song of Love," the Columbia musical drama now playing at the Playhouse Theatre, was selected for this role after an exhaustive search was made for a leading man possessed of great versatility. The part called for an actor who could sing, act, and play the piano. Graves filled the bill.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Stage

Royal—The Gordon McLeod Players present "The Whispering Gallery."

Variety—Toby Leitch and His Players offer "The Dollar Mark."

On the Screen

Capitol—"The Mysterious Island," starring John Barrymore.

Columbia—Richard Talmage in "The Mysterious Stranger."

Dominion—"Devil May Care," featuring Ramon Novarro.

Playhouse—Bell Baker in "Song of Love."

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"Mysterious Island" Is Built Up on Jules Verne's Famous Story

One of the screen's oddest, not to mention one of its most pretentious, romantic adventures, is promised local film followers when "The Mysterious Island" comes to the Capitol Theatre today. It is in color, dialogue and synchronized sound.

A visualization of one of Jules Verne's most extraordinary dreams, "The Mysterious Island" gives realism to an adventure that carries its principals and its reviewers from the secret retreats of a mountainous island to the bottom of the sea and back again, into a land of fantasy and return.

"The Mysterious Island" may truthfully be called an original story, for, as no legitimate fantasy, particularly a submarine fantasy, has ever been transformed into a living film drama before, this new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer spectacle is without a comparison.

In addition to revealing the fantastic submarines of some eighty years ago this astounding photoplay presents a strange race of undersea people, midgets and fish-like bodies and catacomb-like homes built on the ocean's floor. Despite its gigantic settings and its unique underwater action, "The Mysterious Island" presents a romance that is tender as it is unusual, with Lloyd Hughes and Jane Daly as the lovers, with Lionel Barrymore and Montagu Love attending the more dramatic episodes of the production.

ROYAL THEATRE "The Whispering Gallery," the thriller which is at the Royal this week, is, in the opinion of many, quite the best mystery play that the Gordon McLeod Players have presented. It has, in addition to many weird happenings, and a great deal of splendid comedy work, a good story and unusual setting. The acting is particularly good in the various difficult roles to be portrayed, Roland Gillett, Claude Bailey, and James McGrath have the chief characters in their hands, and do more than full justice to them. Gordon McLeod plays with great distinction the difficult role in the prologue, upon which the plot of the play revolves. Next week a farce, entitled "The Whole Town's Talking," will be offered, and next Tuesday the Governor-General and Lady Willingdon will attend the performance when a portion of the proceeds will be given to the Solarium. The following week being Holy Week, the company will not play, but take a well-earned rest until Easter Monday.

VARIETY THEATRE Riches and social position all too often beget snobbery as is shown in that exciting and extremely mirthful comedy-drama, "The Dollar Mark—the Wall Street Crash," which the Toby Leitch Players are presenting before big audiences at the Variety Theatre this week. Raymond Toby Leitch is a riot of fun as Toby Potter, Leah's brother from the wild and wooly West. He scintillates throughout the play. Leon Cluff is splendid as Richard Crane, and Lorus Bagley gives a clever portrayal of the part of the big banker's friend, Henry Gould. Ruth Albright plays the character of Mrs. Potter, most artistically, and Esther Todd is excellent as Ruth Gould, Henry's daughter, who captures Toby's heart.

"Mysterious Stranger" Will Be Presented At Columbia Theatre

A new type of production for Richard Talmadge, which contains all the elements which have made this remarkable young star so popular and yet which has more logic and interest than is customary with pictures which feature stunts, appears tomorrow at the Columbia Theatre when "The Mysterious Stranger" is shown for the first time in this locality. If advices from Hollywood are any criterion, this production caused something of a furore when previewed before the experts of the film capital. It is an adaptation by James Bell Smith, who has taken such parts of Dr. Samuel Johnson's famous old story, "The History of Rasselas, Prince of Abyssinia," and has used them to splendid advantage on the screen. There is much in the work of the one-time dictator of English letters that makes superb screen material, as "The Mysterious Stranger" proves conclusively; and the only surprising thing is that little if any of it has ever been used before. Director Jack Nelson has developed the really excruciating comedy sequences with fine skill, and the attempt of Dick to break into the insane asylum, under the impression that the wall surrounds the house in which he so long lived away from the world, is one of the funniest bits that could have been conceived. An excellent cast is seen in support.

RED CROSS STILL REACHING OUT

B.C. Division, in Addition to Helping Ex-Soldiers, Gives Hospital Facilities

Reports read at the annual meeting of the British Columbia division of the Canadian Red Cross Society a few days ago re-emphasized the fact that the division not only continues to supply comforts to ex-soldiers in the hospitals at Tranquille and Essondale, but is continually branching out into wider philanthropic undertakings.

Under its auspices the Junior Red Cross has been organized in the schools of British Columbia, with a present membership of approximately 3,000 children, who are acquiring through it the habit of healthy living and of serving others less fortunate. Through the efforts of some 400,000 juniors throughout the Dominion, 6,399 crippled Canadian children have received attention which their parents could not have provided for them.

The outpost hospital at Pouce Coupe, which has for the last nine years been supported by the Alberta Red Cross Society, has, at the request of the Alberta division, which finds itself unable to carry on this work in this province, been taken over by the British Columbia division. The hospital is operated by one doctor and three nurses, and in 1929 admitted 243 cases and sixty-two out-patients. This outpost hospital is now supported chiefly by the people of the district, and will require only about $2,000 a year from the British Columbia division.

An outpost nursing station is being established in the Fort St. John area, Peace River. This will take care of any accidents and sicknesses north of the Peace River. Such cases hitherto have had to travel sixty or one hundred miles to Pouce Coupe over roads which, at some seasons of the year, are almost impassable. The district has a present population of 2,500 people, and new settlers are entering every day. Already nine schools are in operation, and five new ones are being constructed. A great many of the settlers are returned men and their families. This district has been without any nursing or medical service up to the present.

The total cost of the provincial branch of the Red Cross for 1930 is estimated at $15,000.

LOSING HIS SLEEP

MacTosh had just purchased a barber's shop in a small provincial town.

"How is your friend MacTosh getting on in the barber business?" asked one friend of another some weeks later.

"Very well," returned MacTosh's friend; "but I'm afraid that being a barber is ruining his health."

"Why is that?" asked the other. "Is he working so hard?"

"Well it isn't exactly the work," came the reply. "You see, he stays up all night to keep a watchful eye on the vanishing cream."

IMPARTIAL

Arriving at a certain country town, Jones, the commercial traveler, parked his car at the side of a road and went off to make some business calls.

But Jones did not know it was market day and that the town was very crowded, and also that the police were very strict on motorists who left their cars by the road for more than a minute or so.

Returning after about three hours to his car, Jones found a policeman standing beside it.

"This your car, sir?" asked the constable, taking a notebook from his pocket.

"Yes," replied Jones.

"Then I must have your name and address," said the policeman. "Parking isn't allowed!"

"But this is a cul-de-sac," argued Jones.

"I don't care if its a Rolls-Royce," returned the constable hotly. "I treat all cars alike."

The Story Behind the Play

By J. J. GELLER

"THE DAUGHTER OF THE REGIMENT"

In 1834 Donizetti's fame as a grand opera composer had been firmly established on the European continent. For in that year he set to music Sir Walter Scott's famous novel "The Bride of Lammermoor," and it was acclaimed the authentic work of a genius. There is nothing so stimulating or inspiring to an artist as the full knowledge that his efforts are received with appreciation.

When it became widely known that Italy harbored another great composer beside Rossini every operatic organizaton sought his services. The terms from a group in Naples which desired Donizetti to submit an opera for immediate production appeared alluring, inasmuch as his "Lucia Di Lammermoor" had been produced under its auspices and he consented to compose his next work for this organization.

He rashly chose a political theme and finished the score with his customary rapidity. He failed, however, to reckon with the censors, and when the directors of the Neapolitan Opera House presented the text and music to these authorities they frowned upon it. When Donizetti learned of their action he became incensed and refused to permit his librettist to alter the plot in order to meet with the approval of these worthies.

Despite all entreaties upon the part of the sympathetic directors of the local opera house, Donizetti left the city for Paris. In the French capital, he had learned, there resided no censors who legally constituted themselves as a special board to harass authors, dramatists or composers. It was his intention to produce there his recently written opera. The gay French city also knew Donizetti as the brilliant young Italian composer of "The Bride of Lammermoor." And so when Donizetti arrived in Paris he found that his reputation had already preceded him.

A survey of the current musical attractions revealed that the light, frothsome operas were in the majority. The offerings were handsomely patronized by the Parisians. When the ruling powers of the Opera-Comique, the one institution dedicated to light operas, discovered that Donizetti was in their midst they solicited him for a contribution. Donizetti wavered, for he had come intent upon the continuation of serious and stately operas, but finally consented to compose one which would meet with the requirements of the Opera-Comique. As a result he was thrown in contact with two librettists who agreed to collaborate with him.

For a theme the Italian composer suggested a military comedy drawn from his own experiences in the army while a mere youth. The two Frenchmen fell in with this plan, and eventually sketched a story, "The Daughter of the Regiment," against the Tyrolean background in the year 1815 when the French occupied Tyrol. The story itself was improbable, innocuous and innocent, but Donizetti's sparkling music made "The Daughter of the Regiment" gleam like a lodestar. The entire score abounds with a gay assortment of musical gems. This was easily recognizable on the first night when the opera was presented in Paris at the Opera-Comique, on February 11, 1840. The heroine was destined to become the star part of almost every famous operatic songbird. Jenny Lind, Patti, Hempel and Sembrich, to name a few, appeared in this role.

JENNY LIND
As She Appeared in "The Daughter of the Regiment."

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IN CLASS

The teacher asked his class of small boys—"What is an herbaceous border?"

A fidgeting silence ensued, broken at last by a small pupil, who said, "Please, sir, a lodger that can only eat herbs."—Daily Chronicle.

VANCOUVER PLANS MANY EXTENSIONS FOR THIS SEASON

VANCOUVER, April 2.—Construction of a cold storage plant, fishermen's wharf and fish storage plant costing $1,500,000; addition of 5,556,000 bushels to the port's grain storage capacity; and preparation of plans for a deep-sea pier at Hastings mill site are projects which will be understaken by the Vancouver Board of Harbor Commissioners, it is announced by Mr. F. R. McD. Russell, chairman, in a statement issued today.

Although it is not officially announced, it is understood that work on additional storage space at the public elevators will start immediately, so that the facilities will be ready for the new crop in the Fall. These additions will give the port a storage capacity of 19,885,000 bushels.

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TRIBUTE PAID TO MRS. NEIL McIVER

DUNCAN, April 2.—Tribute was paid to the memory of the late Mrs. Neil McIver, a member of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Church, at the opening of the monthly meeting on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. W. J. Curry read the poem, "In My Father's House"; Mrs. Robert Mann led the prayer. The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. Mann, Women's Missionary Society president. Reports were presented on Christian stewardship, by Mrs. Van Norman; temperance, Mrs. George Henderson. Strangers Secretary Mrs. R. A. Thorpe reported many visits made to sick in hospital and homes, and to strangers in the city. The treasurer, Mrs. P. R. Dobson, has sent to the Presbyterial for the quarter just closed the sum of $70. Short papers on mission work were read by Mrs. Van Norman, Mrs. A. J. Brownsey and Mrs. B. Clements. Arrangements were made for the Easter thankoffering meeting, to be held on April 24, to be addressed by Mrs. (Dr.) Hewlit. Committees were named to arrange the programme.

At the close of the meeting a daffodil tea was held by the Mission Band, under the supervision of Miss Buckmaster. The tea tables were decorated with daffodils. Flowers and home-made candy were on sale. Members of the band, wearing yellow caps and aprons, served tea.

Minister Says High School Course Optional

DUNCAN, April 2.—At a meeting of the Consolidated School Board held here last night, a letter was read from the Minister of Education, in reply to the board's protest against the four-year high school course, in which the minister pointed out that there was no compulsion in the matter, and that the four-year course need only be adopted where pupils could not get through in three. The matter was referred to the school management committee. The board authorized the spending of $200 for leveling the school grounds.

Mrs. Murray Is Buried at Sandwick

COURTENAY, April 2.—The funeral of Mrs. Susan McGregor Murray, wife of Mr. John Murray, took place on Tuesday afternoon. The service was held at the home of Miss Campbell on the Union Bay Road, with interment at the United Church cemetery at Sandwick, Rev. W. A. Alexander, pastor of St. George's United Church, Courtenay, officiating. Mrs. Murray passed away after an operation at St. Joseph's Hospital for appendicitis. Mr. and Mrs. Murray, with their two children, came to the district four years ago from Scotland and took up a holding under the Empire settlement scheme. Mrs. Murray was a hard worker, and was held in much respect, as evidenced by the large attendance and the many beautiful floral tributes at the graveside. The pallbearers were Messrs. R. L. Ramsay, Walter Brown, Peter Dargie, John Inglis, John Prain and Edward Embleton.

"There are more Mormons in London than in Salt Lake City, but their wives don't know it."—Lord Dewar.

Comox Cow-Testing Results for Month

COURTENAY, April 1.—With the return of Spring the number of dairy cows qualifying for honors in the district has increased.

Following is a list of cows in the Comox Valley Cow-Testing Association that gave fifty pounds or more or butterfat for March, 1930:

(32) Polly, Jersey grade; 1,438 pounds milk, 63.2 pounds fat; owner, J. E. Marriott.

(34) Sally, Jersey grade; 1,299 pounds milk, 62.3 pounds fat; owner, C. H. Hughes.

(94) Peggy, Holstein grade; 2,011 pounds milk, 60.3 pounds fat; owner, J. Higginson.

(36) Julia, Jersey grade; 1,277 pounds milk, 58.7 pounds fat; owner, J. E. Marriott.

(78) Blackie, Jersey grade; 1,249 pounds milk, 57.4 pounds fat; owner, Miss M. M. J. Hardy.

(46) Claney 1st; Jersey grade; 1,044 pounds milk, 56.3 pounds fat; owner, W. A. Urquhart.

(66) Joan 3rd, Jersey grade; 1,036 pounds milk, 53.8 pounds fat; owner, W. A. Urquhart.

(179) Diamond, Ayrshire grade; 858 pounds milk, 53.1 pounds fat; owner, S. T. Dawson.

(87) Lizzie, Ayrshire-Jersey; 1,329 pounds milk, 53.1 pounds fat; owner, J. Higginson.

(169) Daisy, Ayrshire grade; 911 pounds milk, 52.8 pounds fat; owner, S. T. Dawson.

(34) Peggy, Jersey grade; 1,164 pounds milk, 52.4 pounds fat; owner, W. A. Urquhart.

(165) Primrose, Jersey grade; 1,007 pounds milk, 52.3 pounds fat; owner, A. Randall.

(60) Spot, Ayrshire grade; 1,336 pounds milk, 52.2 pounds fat; owner, S. T. Dawson.

(100) Blossom, Jersey grade; 899 pounds milk, 53.1 pounds fat; owner, J. Higginson.

(36) Baldy, Holstein grade; 1,367 pounds milk, 51.9 pounds fat; owner, G. Scott.

(32) Lily, Jersey grade; 1,116 pounds milk, 51.3 pounds fat; owners, Messrs. McFarlan Brothers.

(54) Primrose, Jersey grade; 1,174 pounds milk, 50.4 pounds fat; owner, W. E. Mantle.

(37) Brownie, Jersey grade; 837 pounds milk, 50.2 pounds fat; owner, E. G. Bayly.

(66) Marigold, Jersey grade; 1,001 pounds milk, 50 pounds fat; owner, W. E. Mantle.

(30) Darky, Jersey grade; 1,173 pounds milk, 58.6 pounds fat; owner, W. A. Urquhart.

(75) Pinky 2nd, Jersey grade; 1,012 pounds milk, 56.6 pounds fat; owner, W. A. Urquhart.

(36) Rose, Jersey grade; 1,111 pounds milk, 54.4 pounds fat; owner, W. A. Urquhart.

(64) K-Kaly, Jersey grade, 1,252 pounds milk, 52.5 pounds fat; owner, J. E. Marriott.

(134) Gladys, Jersey grade; 843 pounds milk, 48.8 pounds fat; owner, J. Sharples.

(57) Pat, Jersey grade; 1,128 pounds milk, 48.5 pounds fat; owner, W. E. Mantle.

(65) Betty, Jersey grade; 951 pounds milk, 47.5 pounds fat; owner, J. E. Marriott.

(46) Lady Sophie Tormentor Noble, Jersey purebred; 766 pounds milk, 45.1 pound fat; owner, Miss M. M. Hardy.

Following is a list of two-year-olds in the above association that gave forty pounds or more of butterfat for the month:

(59) Gerty, Jersey grade; 1,066 pound milk, 53.3 pounds fat; owner, W. A. Urquhart.

(76) Strawberry, Jersey grade, 772 pounds milk, 40.1 pounds fat; owner, W. A. Urquhart.

Figures in brackets indicate number of days since freshening.

STORY OF IRELAND IS TOLD ANEW

Mr. W. E. Walsh Outlines Lore of Celtic People From Earlier Times

While the darkness of the Middle Ages had fallen in feudal Europe, and all knowledge of Greek had practically died out on the Continent, in Ireland both Greek and Hebrew were widely used by the learned men, Mr. W. E. Walsh, author of works on Celtic history and legend, told the St. James Literary Society of Montreal. His lecture concerned the story of the Celtic people in early days and through it there ran the thread of lyricism peculiar to the race.

Recently resurrected volumes recording early Celtic history have been responsible for the Irish revival, the speaker observed, and he declared that in a country like Canada, where there is no ancient history which is akin to mythology, writers are thrown more upon their own resources, the resources of their own imaginations.

He remembered that in Ireland the Renaissance dawned six centuries before it made itself felt in Italy, and he reviewed the mythhistory of the Danaans and the Firbolgs, the story of Lugh and of his loves and battles, that of Aengus, son of Dagda, the story of Maeve, Queen of Connaught—and many others. A certain rough parallel between the Greek mythology and that of the Celts he drew, adding that it had its limits and might not be a reasonable comparison. In the Celtic, for example, the women were given very definite characters and were made to stand out in the stories of the lives of heroes, and in the Greek mythology the women were scarcely more than names—even to Helen of Troy.

"BREATHING" STAR IS RAPID MOVER

Beta Cephei, of the Milky Way, Is Now the Subject of Detailed Report

BERKELEY, Cal., April 1.—Beta Cephei, the mysterious Milky Way star which expands and contracts as though it were breathing, at last has a biography. A summary of known facts concerning the star, interpreted in the light of recent observations at the Lick Observatory of the University of California, has been completed by H. S. Mendenhall, graduate student.

Mendenhall's interpretations were said to lend weight to the theory that Beta Cephei is contracting and expanding once in every four and one-half hours. This is such a terrific rate of speed from a terrestrial point of view that it appears to be moving toward and away from the earth at a velocity reaching a maximum of about nine and one-half miles per second.

Beta Cephei is a variable star in the constellation Cepheus. It is best visible in the northern sky during July or August. Its distance from the earth is estimated roughly at 2,000,000,000,000,000 miles and Mendenhall estimates its diameter at almost 2,000,000 miles, more than twice that of the sun.

In addition to the apparent velocity caused by contraction and expansion of its surface five times a day, Beta Cephei seems to have another motion. This was said by Mendenhall to be a rotation around some other star in a period of twenty years. Completion of this orbit would require twenty times as long as the earth takes to revolve around the sun. Velocity of this rotation is something over three miles a second.

Variable stars are of particular interest to astronomers because the light from them pulsates regularly, flaring and dying as though fuel were replenished at regular intervals. The rate of this pulsation has been found to be a measure to the candlepower of the star. Its distance then can be determined by contrasting its actual candlepower with the apparent magnitude as seen from the earth. The brightness of a light source decreases as the square of its distance. By means of this combination of facts it has been possible to determine the distances of stars so far away that no direct measurement could be made.

BUYING JAILS HIS HOBBY

In purchasing Knutsford Jail, Cheshire, England, Thomas Oakley, of Luton, merely gratified his hobby of collecting discarded prisons. It is the fourth jail he has bought recently. What is more, he intends to turn it into a comfortable hotel and clubhouse for truck drivers, where they can get bed, bath and breakfast for 75 cents. Oakley thinks he can give 300 men a good bed in the cells every night and there will be three acres of ground covered with concrete for parking the trucks. Among other unusual purchases made by Oakley are a water chute at the Crystal Palace, at London, a light cruiser, four aerodromes, part of a munition factory, six or seven breweries, several cotton mills and fourteen country mansions.

ANOTHER FRAUD CHARGE BROUGHT

W. N. Tompkins Is Committed for Trial in Connection With Wallis Case

W. N. Tompkins was yesterday charged in the city police court, before Magistrate George Jay, with conspiracy to defraud. This is the latest of the charges which are accumulating in the case of S. E. Wallis.

The joint charge against Wallis and Tompkins was for conspiring to obtain the sum of $1,200 by false pretences from Douglas MacKay & Company, Limited. Mr. Stuart Henderson appeared for both Wallis and Tompkins.

Mr. C. L. Harrison, city prosecutor, asked that the case stand over until tomorrow morning, pending further evidence, and Magistrate Jay agreed.

Mr. Harrison also told the court that the police had seized a number of documents on the premises of the Consolidated Motors (Victoria), Limited, and of Arthur Emerson. These were turned over to an accountant for investigation.

ACQUITTAL ENDS SHOOTING CASE

Harry Atkinson Discharged by Magistrate Jay After Hearing of Sidney Affray

Harry Atkinson was acquitted in the provincial police court yesterday afternoon by Stipendiary Magistrate George Jay. Atkinson, who was accused of wounding William Hind with a shotgun on March 21, was defended by Mr. R. D. Harvey. Corporal Harvey, of the provincial police, conducted the prosecution.

The argument taken by the defence was that the accident occurred while Atkinson was intoxicated—an argument which was upheld in the decision of the magistrate.

"I advise you to be very careful not to let yourself get under the influence of liquor again, young man," remarked Magistrate Jay, before acquitting the accused.

Evidence brought by the prosecution showed that a squabble had started upon the deck of a boat in which Atkinson had a part ownership, and which was tied up to the float at Sidney wharf. J. W. Ashley and George Springett testified to having attempted to leave in the latter's boat for Roberts Bay. Their own boat was made fast to that of Atkinson, and, according to evidence, they intended to take his boat with them. Springett admitted that he was too drunk to remember in detail what had happened.

In cross-examination, Mr. Harvey elicited from several witnesses that Atkinson had come out of the pilot house of his boat with a single-barrel shotgun, and had started fiddling with the bolt. Springett had seized the gun, which had gone off, with the result that Mr. Hind, who was working on his own boat at the other side of the wharf, had been wounded in the head.

Frederick N. Wright, boatbuilder at Sidney, testified to having been aboard Mr. Hind's boat at the time of the accident, and Constable A. G. Carmichael, of the provincial police, gave evidence of arrest.

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HONOR FOR STUDENT HERO

Plans for honoring the memory of Edward Blomfield, who froze to death while protecting others, are being formed in New Zealand. When found, the body of Blomfield, one of those who perished in a blizzard while crossing the Great Tasman Glacier, on Mount Cook, and who gave nearly all his clothes to four women victims, was clad only in a singlet and pants. He had struggled along the glacier in an attempt to get help. He was a student and a grandson of Sir John R. Sinclair, a New Zealand lawyer. The only survivor was M. Hilgendorf, who reached Ball Hut after crawling on his hands and knees, falling through crevasses and extricating himself.

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The Romantic Prince

By RAFAEL SABATINI

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The Duke of Burgundy made a sudden departure from the North as a result of the news of King Louis's movements, and made his headquarters at Peronne, whence he could watch his cousin, the enemy.

Now while Louis XI would never shirk a fight when no alternative offered, or when the issue was beyond doubt, yet in the astuteness and caution of his nature there was a reluctance to set his fortunes on the hazard of battle if the odds were too closely balanced or if his ends might be attained by other means. Accordingly, he asked for a parley.

In his own hand, Charles wrote a letter of safe-conduct, wherein he promised that King Louis might come, sojourn, and return in surety. Content with this, Louis went boldly into the lion's den. On Sunday, October 9, the shabby little king rode into Peronne.

The present is no history of a long duel between France and Burgundy, or even of this passage in it. But a little must be said to reveal the part—obscured by historians as irrelevant—which was played by Count Anthony of Guelders, to save the honor of the Duke of Burgundy when it stood in direst peril.

In spinning the web for the entanglement of Charles, Louis had not lost sight of Liege, its grievances for what already it had suffered and its fears for what might be to come from the resented protection which Burgundy had imposed upon it. The King's agents had been very active there, representing their royal master as the devoted friend of the Liegeois. Placing their trust in these royal protestations, the Liegeois had gone about their preparations for insurrection at the opportune moment when the Duke of Burgundy should be engaged elsewhere. King Louis realized the great value to himself of so formidable an ally in the Duke's rear when he himself should be engaging the Duke's front.

Then came Louis's decision to negotiate. He despatched a messenger to Liege on the eve of setting out to parley with the Duke. But the messenger arrived too late. The Liegeois were already under arms, and, on that Sunday that Louis rode into Burgundian quarters, two thousand of them marched on Tongress to seize the person of the Prince-Bishop Louis de Bourbon.

Within half an hour of his entering Peronne, Louis's confidence in his safe conduct had been abated by witnessing the advent there of the Marshal of Burgundy, Thibault de Neufchatel. With him were gentlemen of France who had fled beyond the reach of Louis' rancor, and who in this hour brought their swords to the Duke of Burgundy that thus they might satisfy their now mutual hatred and distrust.

There was Antoine du Lau, the Seneschal of Guienne, whom the King had imprisoned in the fortress of Ussen while an iron cage was building for him, in which, unable either to stand or lie, and deprived of every ray of light, he should linger out a tortured remnant of his days. Du Lau had escaped, with the connivance of his keepers, who had paid terribly for his evasion. At Dijon he had found shelter and service with the Duke of Burgundy.

There was Poncet de la Riviere, who had been removed from his command in the royal army after rendering stout service at Montlhery. La Riviere had departed France on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land from which he had been careful not to return until now, in arms, and bearing on his surcoat the cross of Saint Andrew, the badge of Burgundian service.

Most ominous of all, because of the dreadful precedent it established against King Louis, there was Phillipe de Bresse, with his brothers, the Count of Romont and the Bishop of Geneva, all three Princes of Savoy. De Bresse had once gone as a mediator to Louis XI under the guaranty of a safe-conduct from the King, in despite and dishonor of which the King had flung him into the castle of Loches.

And there were others, a round dozen of them, whom the King recognized as fugitives from his anger and declared enemies of his person. It never crossed his mind that his presence in Peronne struck the same fear into them that their arrival begot in him. Apprehensive of some arrangement between France and Burgundy, they hastened to the Duke, Phillipe de Bresse at their head, to obtain the security for their persons.

Knowing nothing of this, the King asked Charles to afford him quarters in the castle itself.

The Duke acceded promptly, and the King, within the grim walls of the castle felt less apprehensive. But not for long. On the morrow news of the insurrection and violent action of the Liegeois reached Peronne. King Louis's incitement of them was not to be doubted. Indeed there was proof of it.

Consternation and resentment spread within the castle and town of Peronne. The Duke swore that the King of France had come thither to abuse him. It did not help him that he could not perceive precisely how the King was to achieve this object. He never could perceive the aims of that sly, subtle monarch.

He ordered the gates of the town to be closed, and he placed the King—who was now terrified by a justifiable expectation of the worst—under a guard of archers, while he deliberated upon what measures should be taken. These deliberations he chose to make alone with Count Anthony.

"He has come hither to betray me," he swore repeatedly, summarizing all that he had said.

"If his aim had been betrayal, why should he have come hither to place himself in your power?" asked Count Anthony.

"If? Do you say 'If'?" Livid with passion, the Duke glared at his cousin. "What else has he done but betray me You have heard how the wires were pulled at Liege by his agents, with the result that an army is on foot there."

"He may have done all that, or, at least been a party to it. But how, being here, can he work harm against you now?"

"But if I knew, I should be less uneasy. But there is one way to make sure of him." And the Duke drew his dagger from its sheath, and shot it home again.

Count Anthony shook his head.

"Not that way, Charles."

"What better way?"

Count Anthony's answer was indirect. "His life and person are sacred in your hands. Your honor demands it."

In this way he restrained Charles from any immediate measures of reprisal such as he certainly might have taken had he been left to the counsels of his rage.

But on the morrow the battle had to be fought over again. Early in the morning the Duke summoned a council of his nobles and officers, including those who once had been subjects of the King of France, and who were come to offer their swords to Burgundy. That council lasted all day and well into the night, for the arguments were long and fierce.

Four voices prevailed in that council. First, that which urged the safe-conduct protected the King and made it impossible to move in any way against his person. Second, that which urged that he be imprisoned and made to answer for the sedition he had stirred up in Liege and the blood that had been shed there in consequence. Third, that which advised that he be deposed and his brother, the Duke of Normandy invited to come and discuss the terms of peace with France. And lastly, the fierce insistent voice which demanded blood for blood. This was the voice of those who had gone in personal fear of him for years and saw no truce to their fears while he continued alive. It was not easy to silence these last, comparatively few though they might be.

Count Anthony had taken some part in the debate to defend the position that the safe-conduct made action against the King's person impossible. And when Phillipe de Bresse appeared to have silenced that argument by putting forward the precedent in such cases which Louis himself had established, Count Anthony's voice was the only voice which answered him, and in answering him restored at least in part the position which de Bresse had sapped.

At long last, when the day had given place to night, a resolve was reached which appeared to express the desire of the majority: to depose the King and send for the Duke of Normandy. On that resolve, the council at last dissolved, and the Duke summoned his secretaries to prepare the letters that were to be sent to the King's brother.

News of the decision reached the King in his chamber. It would have dismayed any other in his place; him it almost elated in that it removed the worst danger he had apprehended, that of having his throat cut. They might depose him all they pleased. As long as he lived and recovered his liberty, they would have to reckon with him in the end. He had, with reason, unbounded faith in his own wits.

But the end was not yet as the council had decreed. While the Duke strode to and fro dictating, back came Count Anthony, who had departed with the others.

"Charles, dismiss your secretary and hear me. I have something to propose."

"If it is aught concerning the King of France, you are behind the fair. My messenger is already in the saddle and but awaits this letter."

"Hear me at least," the Count insisted.

The Duke waved the secretary away.

"Be brief," he commanded, as the door closed upon the departing scribe.

But there was no haste about Count Anthony. He was as deliberate as he was calm.

"First, Charles, you cannot do this thing. The King has your safe-conduct and, in the hour in which it ceases to protect him, in that hour you will have been pulled down to the King's own knavish level. You are a great prince, Charles, and you are bound by the obligations of your lofty station."

"I thank you for your sermon. But it has been preached already, aye, and answered."

"Has it been truly answered? Is it all false? Are you not a great prince? Is your honor tarnished or tarnishable? Is your word worthless?"

"Devil take you! You know that none of this is so."

"Then why make it so? For that is the only lasting thing these letters will achieve. They may bring you a momentary satisfaction . . ."

"They do not," the Duke interrupted, in exasperation.

Count Anthony smiled almost compassionately. "Not even so little as that? Then why persist?"

The Duke pondered him sullenly. "You promise an alternative?" he asked.

"Why, yes. But first it would have pleased me to turn you from the decision taken; to make you realize its folly. Were I in your place, I would make the King sup on his treachery under the eyes of all the world, so that whatever followed, all decent men should point the finger of scorn at him. I would do this after first making terms of peace—the pretended purpose of his visit here. And in the present circumstances you may have whatever terms you choose to dictate short of the crown of France itself."

"By Saint George!" the Duke's eyes gleamed. "That had escaped me, as it seems to have escaped those furious counsellors of mine. But the other measure: To make the King eat his treachery, as you say? Be plain on that."

Count Anthony considered him for a moment in silence. "Come with me to the King, Charles."

Angrily the Duke wrenched his arm away. "Not I. I cannot trust myself."

"Oh, yes, you can. Let me be your mouthpiece, and I promise you a solution of all your difficulties."

Reluctantly the Duke allowed himself to be conducted.

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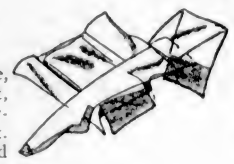

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